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Tri-Town Remembers…

By Jean Perry

Year after year the Tri-Town traditions continue, and Memorial Day is no exception. Our years in the Tri-Town community are hallmarked by specific special occasions – take for example, George Randall's heartfelt reading of the Gettysburg Address or the anticipation of the next flat-bottomed boat at every bend of the shallow waters of the Mattapoisett River during the Rochester Boat Race – and they wouldn't feel complete without these experiences.

Expect much to remain the same this year on Memorial Day, although some of the details will change as they do every year, such as the keynote speakers and locations of local observances.

Mattapoisett: The Mattapoisett Memorial Day ceremony and parade starts at 1:30 pm on Monday, May 29, this year in front of the Center School on Barstow Street. Due to road construction, the ceremony will not be in front of the Mattapoisett Library as it usually is, so take note.

The keynote speaker is Commander Bryan D. Williams of the U.S. Navy.

To mark the 100 year milestone since George Randall's father, Jerry Randall, first recited the Gettysburg Address, George Randall will read the Gettysburg Address this year on Memorial Day, usually a Veteran's Day tradition for Randall.

Although the starting point has changed this year, the parade route will remain the same: heading to Water Street, to the Town Wharf, over to Cushing Cemetery, and ending at the Legion Hall on Depot Street.

The parade was rained out last year, so 'Honey' the horse's debut as Mattapoisett's first-ever caparisoned horse will be this year. Honey's owner, Cheryl Randall Mach, will lead her in the solemn procession – a riderless horse, formally dressed with two boots mounted backwards in the stirrups, along with a silver cavalry sword.

On the Cover: *Town volunteers, as well as the local Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, have prepared the Evergreen Cemetery for Memorial Day, with flower plantings and the placement of flags on the graves of our veterans. See the article "Tri-Town Remembers…" for a summary of the Memorial Day observances in your community. Photo by Jean Perry*

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Marion: The Memorial Day remembrances and parade on Monday, May 29, will begin at 9:00 am in front of the Marion Music Hall on Front Street.

The keynote speaker is Lieutenant Colonel Heather Bienz, MA ANG, executive officer of the 102nd Intelligence Wing at Otis Air National Guard Base. She has been an officer in the Massachusetts Air National Guard for five years, having served four years in the Connecticut Air National Guard, with eight years of active duty in the U.S. Air Force flying the KC-10A Extender refueling aircraft. Bienz has been deployed 10 times since September 11, 2001, earning two Air Medals and six Aerial Achievement Medals. Bienz was a member of the Marion VFW Post 2425 before it disbanded last year. She lives in Marion with her husband and children.

The parade route this year is a bit different, kicking off from the Music Hall and heading 0.6 miles northbound on Front Street to Veterans' Memorial at Old Landing. Marching in the parade will be the Sippican School Marching Band led by Hannah Moore, The Portuguese American Band, and students from ORR.

Rochester: The Town's Memorial Day observance will be Sunday, May 28, beginning at noon in front of the Rochester Town Hall on Constitution Way.

The parade features the Rochester Memorial School Band, Rochester Firefighters, Police, and the Rochester Boys' and Girls' Scouts. Selectmen and Representative Bill Straus will honor Rochester's fallen who fought for our freedom.

The Rochester Memorial Day Boat Race on the Mattapoisett River starts at 8:30 am on Monday, May 29 at Grandma Hartley's Reservoir, Snipatuit Road, and

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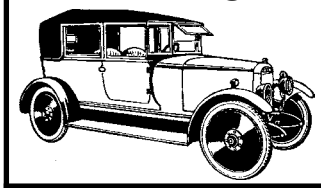
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Escape

This Mattapoisett Life

By Marilou Newell

"Dad, you're not sick, you're hurt. You're going to get better…"

I repeated those words to my father over and over in the days after his accident as he lay in the hospital bed, heavily medicated and so very far away.

Dad, a man who had never, ever slept in the upstairs bedrooms of his small cottage, who had, in fact, slept alone in the downstairs bedroom since 1964, had been upstairs on that fateful night. Exactly what happened will never be known. He apparently had done as he was told, moved upstairs for the night while his wife, my mother, occupied the downstairs bedroom located near the bathroom.

When I arrived at their home after receiving her call alerting me that "something bad" had happened to my father, I was shocked to find their dining room destroyed.

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As she explained it, the previous day she had not been feeling well. Her urgent need of the bathroom throughout the day was a problem exacerbated by her severe mobility issues. As night approached, she told Dad to sleep upstairs so she could be near the bathroom – "just in case."

The following morning she thought she heard him preparing the coal stove to warm up the house. The sounds went on for some time, but she was not alarmed; she couldn't hear the magnitude of his struggle – she was hard of hearing, nearly deaf. She hadn't heard the sound of breaking glass, cabinets being overturned, and his writhing on the floor screaming.

A pool of blood at the bottom of the stairs shocked me as I opened the door. Massive shards of broken glass were scattered across the floor. Crushed and broken bits and pieces of knickknacks, teacups, and glassware presented as gifts by loving children and grandchildren – her treasures – now covered in his blood were evidence that something very bad indeed had happened.




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"They've taken him to the hospital," she said. And then, "Could you make me a cup of coffee?" I trembled from head to toe as I approached her trying to figure out if she, too, was hurt. "I'm fine, but that damn fool broke everything." Her voice was flat and emotionless.

She told me he had slept upstairs so she could be near the bathroom and that he must have fallen during the night as he descended those "wretched" narrow ladder-like stairs on his way to the toilet. One slipper at the top of the landing and one at the bottom near the pool of blood bore witness to the accident. She wasn't sure how badly he was hurt, saying to me, "You better go see."

Arriving at the hospital, I found him battling the nursing staff unable to understand a simple request to stay still for X-rays. He had a massive wound on his forehead and a cut above his eye. The soles of his feet were lacerated.

The hours and days that followed are etched in my memory. I spent every moment I could by his bedside overseeing his care and telling him, "You are hurt, Dad. You've had an accident. You are going to get better…" over and over again.

As the extent of his head injury became more apparent to the medical staff – a massive bruise to the frontal lobe of his brain similar to his head going through the windshield of a moving vehicle – it was clear we were in for the long haul.

He was never the same after that.

Yet, for most of the fifteen years he lived after that accident, he enjoyed life in ways we could never have imaged.

His personality changed. He was, for the most part, content, unburdened by the need to work, glad to sit and chat, albeit much of it was nonsensical or half



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thoughts.

Then one day he began to talk about WWII. He talked about the months he spent in the Army, a driver for a high-ranking officer, a grunt who did his duty. He didn't mention the bronze star he was awarded.

"I was scared, you'd be a fool not to be scared … that water was cold I tell ya' … the boys were falling and drowning … it was awful … the bullets sounded like 'ping-ping-ping' on the side of the boats … the Germans were hiding in the woods … I woke up under the jeep and saw them looking at me … they ran away … we were under the jeep for a few days waiting … we were separated from our unit … them boys they liked those coal fires I built … I took those felt liners from that store

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and put them in my boots … the people were so glad to see us…"

Dad was a hardworking simple man whose life had not been defined by WWII but by the years he survived the domestic cold war at home. He never lost his nerve, kept pulling forward doing his duty the only way he knew how – keeping your head down.

As dementia consumed his aging brain, he believed he was rich, he believed he had a young wife and small children living in peace and harmony.

At first I was concerned that these delusions were a problem. But in actuality, he had made his escape. Now I am glad that, in the end, he lived happily ever after.

EmpowORR Garden Grows Opportunity, Experience

By Jean Perry

Beneath the nutrient-rich soil that lies within the carefully crafted raised garden beds of donated wood grows a network of community service now deeply rooted and firmly planted behind the Old Rochester Regional Junior High School.

Deemed the "EmpowORR" Community Garden, on Saturday, May 21, the vision came to fruition beneath a sunny sky and in the hands of a group of people who donated their time – as well as their energy, dedication, and gardening expertise – to a project that will serve both student needs and community needs as the growing

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Becky Okolita, teacher of the Old Rochester Regional Transition Program for special education students age 18 to 22, envisioned a community garden where her students could benefit from the experience of growing produce from seed, while gaining real work experience selling the fruits of their labors at local farmers' markets and also donating some of the harvest to local families in need.

"As the garden continues to expand and grow," says Okolita, "another goal would be to reduce waste in our schools by providing a composting system."

Okolita is still hoping to garner donations to erect a greenhouse to further expand the garden, which has started off with tomatoes, strawberries, herbs, salad greens, kale, peppers, and flowers.

"We just hope things will grow!" said Okolita, getting her hands dirty as she planted baby tomato plants.

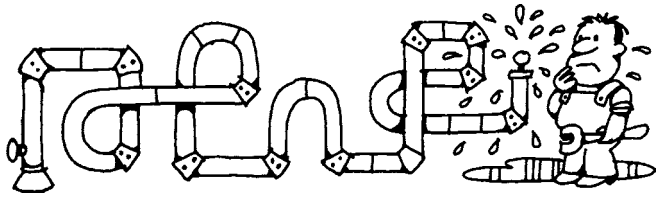
The Transition Program was established this school year to provide vocational, social, and educational opportunities for students aged 18 to 22 with moderate to severe disabilities. The mission of the program is to provide experiences that "will lead to successful and meaningful life paths tailored to each student's unique gifts and abilities."

To make a donation to the garden, please contact Becky Okolita at rebeccaokolita@oldrochester.org, 508-758-1345 ext. 2520, or visit the garden's Go Fund Me page at www.gofundme.com/orrhsgardenandgreenhouse.

The Slippery and Contrary American Eel

By George B. Emmons

'As slippery as an eel' is a commonly used platitude to anthropomorphize an eel's snake-like demeanor of behavior upon a human being we dislike and do not respect. Our own unpleasant experience may have become ingrained as a youth by trying to get an eel off a hook we didn't want to catch while fishing, or trying to bait a hook with one to land a striped bass. However, the eel today has outlived the dogma of judging a book by its cover with environmentalists who value it as remarkably adapted to be rated as a vital link to

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In New England in their coastal migration, the eel is much like the anadramous alewife; however, it is reversed, or contradramous, meaning that the eel moves in the opposite direction, coming out of fresh water into salt some seven years from being spawned to develop into so-called silver eels for this transition.

If climate change in all this time has somehow dried up the channels of passage for their exodus, the oily covering over their bodies permits them to travel overland, providing it is paved with either wet grass or mud.

Then their remarkable journey takes them a thousand miles or more all the way to the Sargasso Sea, some thousands of miles between the West Indies and the Azores to spend the winter. The eel during this change in habitat undergoes physical adaptation into maturity, including changing sex several times.

The gastronomical history in New England, much like the alewife, dates back to starving *Mayflower* survivors still alive after the first winter in a barren wilderness when the Wampanoags took them to nearby Eel Pond to tread in the mud and catch with their hands the fat, sweet eels. They were destined from then on to become a dietary staple like the bean and the cod in colonial cookbooks

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The truly remarkable presence of the eel in our waters, like many other species, might be said to be a good barometer of the health of their ecosystem. Even as bottom dwelling creatures, they have probably the most acute sense of smell of any other living creature, as well as an adjustable adaptation to light and shadow, making them particularly sensitive to pollution or chemicals dumped by shoreline industry.

The current movement to tear down dams that block their natural passage, as well as building fish ladders, also helps to ensure that this mislabeled and misunderstood gift to humanity out of the sea will be around for future generations to fully understand and subsequently appreciate.

Fireworks Fundraiser Ends With a Boom

By Jean Perry

There will be plenty of 'oohs' and 'ahhs' in Marion on this July 4th with the return of the Marion Fourth of July fireworks display!

The fundraising efforts appeared to fizzle out

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earlier in the year, falling considerably short of the $50,000 total needed to pull off the event. But with the establishment of a "Twenty From Many" GoFundMe campaign spearheaded by Mike Russo, on May 19 the goal was met.

News spread quickly on social media that the deadline for fundraising was extended from May 15 to May 23 as the committee inched closer to the $40,000 target – $13,000 was left over from the prior year's fundraising.

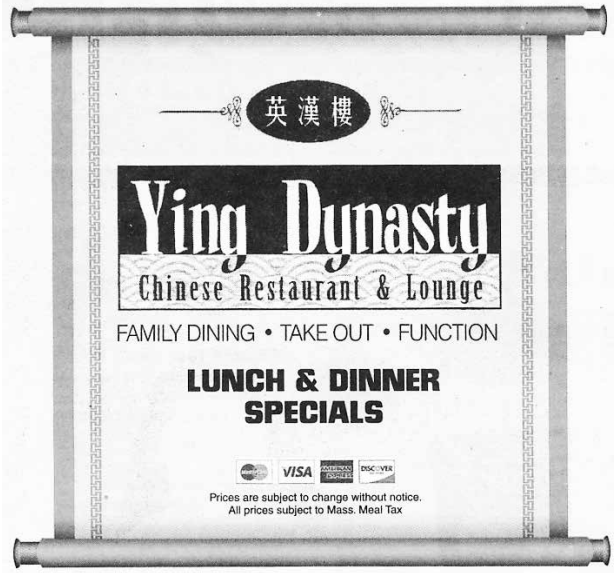
On May 18, with just five days left to fundraise, the campaign was ignited by a $10,000 donation from Tabor Academy, making that $50,000 goal closer to reality. The committee only needed $1,500 more to go before

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"The committee," said Donna Hemphill on May 21, "they've really stepped up."

From the online fundraising, to going out and knocking on doors, "They did an incredible job," Hemphill said. "No, they did a phenomenal job."

Donations are still trickling in, Hemphill said, which will set next year's fireworks fund off with a running start. "Another $250 came in today. And a few people have reached out already wanting to be involved next year."

Hemphill did express some concern about some comments made over social media regarding management of the fireworks money raised, saying, "I just wanted to let everyone know that we only use this money for the fireworks and nothing else. It is strictly for the fireworks and associated costs."

In a case like last year where the show was cancelled, she said, "That money stayed in that account and was not used for any other purpose. For some reason, there are residents that think otherwise and I just wanted to set the record straight."

The fireworks display will go out to bid now, and Hemphill said the committee has already secured the band and the sound person for the event.

"All we can hope for now is really good weather," said Hemphill. "After all this, it better be good weather!"

The fireworks are scheduled for Sunday, July2, at 9:00 pm off Silvershell Beach.

On a side note, online registration for floats for the Marion Fourth of July Parade is already open at marionrecreation.com, and a paper mailing for parade registration will soon follow.

King Concerned About ConCom Vacancies

Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen

By Marilou Newell

Meeting on May 23, the evening following Bob Rogers' announcement that he would be departing from the Conservation Commission, the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen heard from commission member Mike King.

King will soon be the most senior member on the commission when Rogers' term ends on July 1. He told the selectmen, "I'm concerned about the commission's ability to function with only myself and two new members."

Selectman Paul Silva said that in the absence of a formal letter from Rogers, they couldn't make plans to replace him, but with the departure of Mike Dubuc from the commission, at least one more commissioner was needed.

King said that newly appointed commissioner Trevor Francis is not always available to attend commission meetings, causing King to be concerned that a quorum might fail. "I take this very seriously," he told the board members.

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Anyone interested in volunteering for the Conservation Commission may submit letters of interest with resumes to Melody Pacheco, administrative assistant to the Board of Selectmen.

Earlier in the evening the selectmen met with three members of the Plymouth County Commissioners office. Coming before the board were Commissioner Dan Pallotta, Treasurer Tom O'Brien, and Administrator Frank Basler to discuss the county's FY18 budget.

Before discussing the numbers, the three representatives acknowledged that the public had a lack of understanding as to just what the county services were, the past administration mishandling of time and resources, and current health of the operating budget.



Basler noted that the county could help the 27 cities and towns in Plymouth County with such diverse needs as procurement, tourism, fire suppression training, capital improvements, and even public health issues. The county is also responsible for the district courts and registry of deeds.

O'Brien said the county was in the process of hiring an entomologist to assist in education regarding tick-borne diseases, gypsy moths and other insect-related problems.

"Plymouth County is number three in the state for Lyme disease," O'Brien stated. He also noted that Massachusetts is third in the nation for tick-related illnesses, with the Town of Marion ranking No. 1 in the entire state for the number of reported tick-borne diseases.

O'Brien said the county was paying into OPEB funds and had established a municipal fund with 25 other entities. "No other county is doing this," he said.

Of accomplishments, O'Brien also pointed to the establishment of a stabilization fund that now holds $300,000.

Selectman Jordan Collyer, the town's county representative for the past 14 years, said, "This is helpful. Some towns are hesitant to use county services because they don't understand it."

The BOS agenda also included a number of recognitions and citations.

Mary Scott was lauded for her 15 years of service to the Town. Presenting her with a certificate of appreciation and a bouquet of flowers was Andy Bobola, director of inspectional services, and Robin Shuffelt, building department administrator, who thanked Scott.

Bobola said, "She has been an absolute true professional and a valuable employee." Scott, who turned 90 years of age, was alarmed when she was asked to attend the selectmen's meeting.

"I thought I was getting fired," she chuckled.

Henri Renauld, superintendent of the Water and Sewer Department, announced that his office had received two citations from the State for the Mattapoisett River Valley Water District that his department oversees. The district serves the Towns of Fairhaven, Marion, and



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Rochester, as well as Mattapoisett. The citations were in recognition for outstanding service.

Silva read a proclamation from Governor Baker proclaiming June 11 as "Race Amity Day," a day set aside to celebrate the diversity of the state's multi-cultural composition.

Also noted were the number of young men who have successfully completed Eagle Scout projects in the community. Pacheco read off the list of Troop 53 Boy Scouts recently achieving this rarified ranking. They are Drew Robert, Adam Perkins, Davis Mathieu, Matthew Kiernan, Justin Sayers, James Demay, and Zachariah Mooney.

Volunteers Wanted for Moving Wall

Rochester Board of Selectmen

By Jean Perry

With no appointments scheduled on the agenda, the Rochester Board of Selectmen breezed through its May 22 pre-town meeting BOS meeting with an appointment to the Conservation Commission and a memo from the Tri-Town's veterans agent pertaining to Wareham's hosting of the Vietnam War Moving Wall in August.

Veterans Agent Jo-Ann O'Malley announced that the Wareham Veterans Council is seeking volunteers to provide support to various tables that will be set up showcasing photographs and memorabilia from the Vietnam War.

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O'Malley said veterans and non-veterans alike are welcome to donate their time during the Moving Wall's stay in Wareham, and any interested parties should contact Jo-Ann O'Malley at the Mattapoisett Town Hall at 508-758-4100 ext. 212.

Also during the meeting, the selectmen appointed Margot Paine to the Conservation Commission.

Due to the Memorial Day holiday, the next meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen is scheduled for **June 5** at 6:30 pm at the Rochester Town Hall.

Town Meeting Approves All Articles

Rochester Annual Town Meeting

By Jean Perry

A moratorium on marijuana retail sales, a screening fence for an RMS abutter … Voters during the Rochester Annual Town Meeting on May 22 gave approval for all 18 of the warrant's articles, and all within an hour and a half.

Article 1 to accept the annual report of all town officers and committees passed, Article 2 to fix the salaries of the elected officials passed, and Article 3 to amend Part IV of the Classification and Compensation Plan to fix minimum and maximum amounts for employee steps also passed.

When it came to the budget, a few residents shouted out "question" to hold certain line items of the budget for further discussion, including the treasurer's salary line items, the administrative assistant line item in town hall expenses, the fire department, communications dispatch, and the building inspector's budget, but in the end the $20.8 million fiscal year 2018 budget passed.

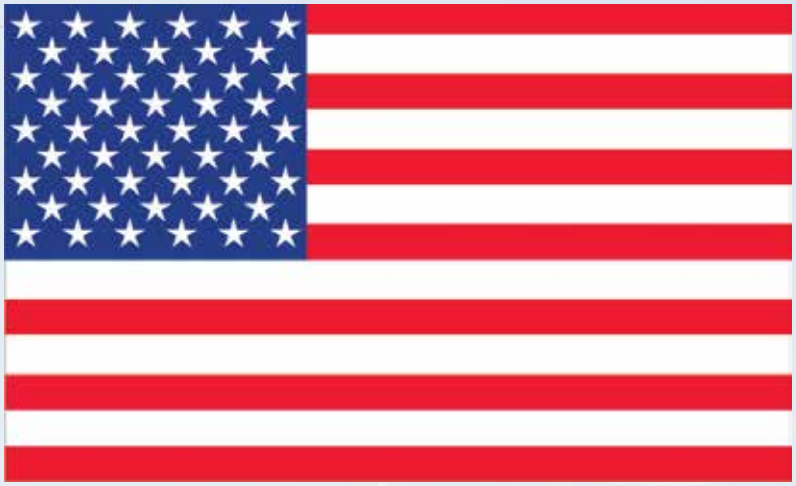
One resident asked why the budget still contained a fully-funded emergency dispatch budget when the Town had already decided to regionalize its 911 dispatch system beginning this year.

Finance Committee Chairman Kristian Stoltenberg explained that the Town needed to keep a level-funded dispatch budget intact for FY2018 because there is no guarantee as to when the system will switch to regionalization, and if it even will this year, although Stoltenberg emphasized that the switch should occur

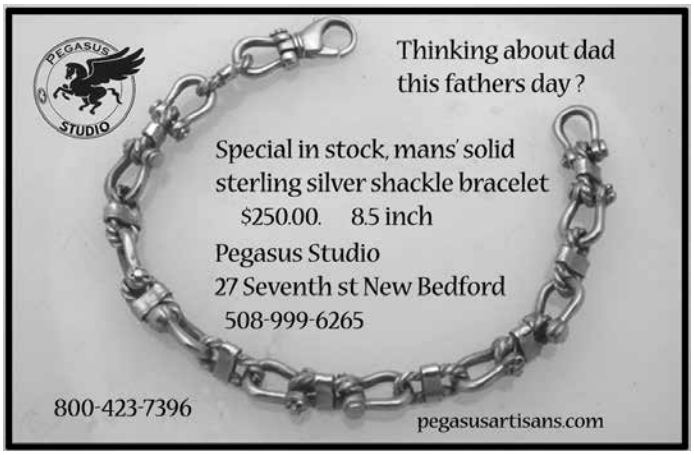
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"If, for some reason it doesn't happen, in order to be on the safe side we need to fund the emergency dispatch … while it still resides in town," Stoltenberg said. "We simply took last year's budget and put it into this year's, not knowing when the change takes place. Until any of this happens," said Stoltenberg, "we need to have a funded emergency dispatch budget."

Voters approved Article 5 to establish various revolving funds: library materials, $10,000; recycling program, $20,000; hazardous waste recovery, $10,000; Rochester Country Fair, $65,000; Local Cultural Council, $6,000; COA programs and activities, $10,000; flu and medical clinics, $25,000; tax title, $2,500; and Fire/EMS equipment, $50,000. Also passing were Article 6 to fund $300 for the planting of shellfish in Marion, Article 7 to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appropriate Chapter 90 funds from the State for road repairs, Article 8 to compensate assessors for becoming "certified" to their office, and Article 9 for $15,000 for the Town's OPEB (other post-employment benefits) fund.

Resident Hal Rood questioned whether this amount was enough to cover the Town's OPEB liability, and Stoltenberg told him it was not, and not by a long shot.

"Fifteen-thousand dollars is a start, it's not an end," Stoltenberg said. "You do what you can…. It's a good faith attempt on this town's part to address that we know what's out there."

Town Meeting approved Article 10 to put $50,000 back into the Special Education Cost Stabilization Fund, money that was used this fiscal year to cover unexpected special education costs.

Article 11 established a School Assessment Stabilization Fund to moderate annual fluctuations in costs associated with the town's assessment based on student enrollment.

Article 12 transferred $50,000 into the newly established School Assessment Stabilization Fund, and Article 13 transferred $67,000 into the Stabilization Fund. Selectmen Chairman Brad Morse said that $67,000 was used to cover the cost of snow and ice removal for the prior fiscal year, and was now being returned after FEMA reimbursements.

Article 14 established a Special Injury Leave Indemnity Fund to appropriate funds for the payment of injury leave compensation or medical bills for injuries to firefighters or police officers in the future.

Article 15 amended the Town Bylaw to delete restrictive language to allow for more timely collection of past due taxes by withholding issuance or renewal of permits and licenses from various town departments until the taxpayer is in good standing.

The phrase "annually" was replaced by "a twelve-month period."

The moratorium on marijuana retail sale (Article 16) passed with minimal discussion, although one resident wanted to confirm that the bylaw would not affect the private use and personal cultivation of marijuana.

Town Counsel Blair Bailey emphasized that the moratorium was only to allow the Town ample time to craft an effective zoning bylaw to restrict marijuana retail sale locations. Municipalities in the state are adopting similar moratoriums until the state can provide some legislative guidance.

Article 17 amended the bylaw regulating water withdrawal to a fine of $100 for the first violation and $300 for each additional violation. The bylaw that Town Meeting had passed last year included a fine of $500 for subsequent offenses, which the Attorney General's Office found excessive.

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Article 18 to appropriate $6,800 for a fence was the most discussed article of the evening.

Kelly Morgado, a Pine Street abutter to the Rochester Memorial School parking lot, said she was promised a screening fence long ago by the Town, and even had a letter from former Town Administrator Richard LaCamera guaranteeing Morgado a proper fence.

Stoltenberg said the Finance Committee would not support the article, believing that it was the school's responsibility to address the matter with Morgado, and any fence should come from the school's budget.

Other town residents took to the microphone to support Morgado, saying it was a Town project overseen by the Town; therefore, the Town should make good on its promise.

Planning Board member Ben Bailey said that if it were a private project such as a solar farm developer, one could bet that the Planning Board would have made sure proper screening was provided.

"It's a shame that it hasn't been done as of this date," said resident Sean Crook. "I think we should give what's due."

Derelict Home To Be Razed

Mattapoisett Zoning Board of Appeals

By Marilou Newell

A house in the Harbor Beach neighborhood of Mattapoisett that has become the seaside home of four-



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William Bachant of Wareham came before the Mattapoisett Zoning Board of Appeals on May 18 seeking permission to tear down the vacant and dilapidated house located at 6 Cedar Street. He said a new home would be constructed on the site once the 1955 structure was removed.

There was some discussion regarding lot coverage, as the standard set by the ZBA has historically been 25 percent and Bachant's plans seemed to exceed that by 2 percent.

Neighbors voiced their delight at the possibility of having the long-forgotten structure removed.

"We can't wait for the building to come down," said Harbor Beach Association officer Ann Marie Anderson on behalf of the neighborhood.

Beach residents Betty and Bert Theriault said foxes had been living in the empty house, causing problems for the area.

"It's in terrible disrepair," said Theriault. "It would be a plus to the neighborhood if it's torn down."

Several other residents spoke in favor of the project, but voiced concerns about what would become of the "critters" living in the building.

Director of Inspectional Services Andy Bobola said the builder would have to exterminate the property prior to pulling it down, and that the Board of Health would certify that work had been completed.

Satisfying neighbors' concerns that the animals wouldn't scramble into their own homes, the ZBA approved the Special Permit. The new home will be a two-bedroom, two-story structure with an asphalt driveway.

Returning to the board was Robert Field of Field Engineering, representing DG Services, 23 County Road, with a request for a Special Permit to construct a 2,109 square-foot addition to an existing commercial structure. After meeting and achieving a compromise with abutter Dawson Real Estate, the project was approved.

Katherine Norcross, 77 Long Plain Road, received a Special Permit to construct an in-law apartment as an addition to her 1986 family home.



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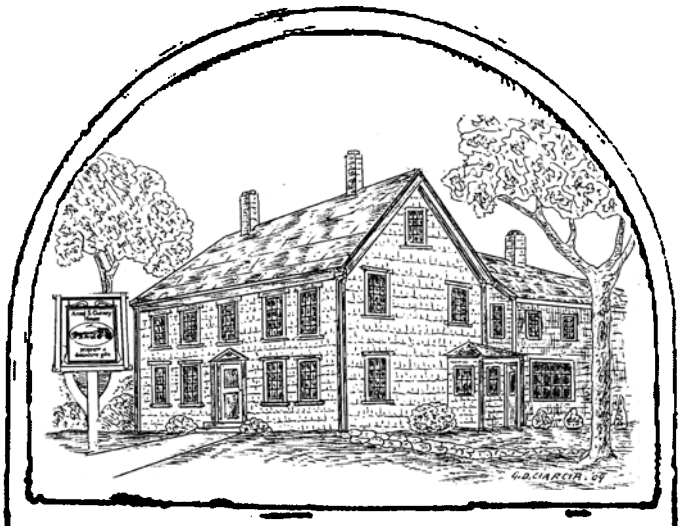


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The Town of Mattapoisett Water and Sewer Department also received a Special Permit to renovate a well house at 121 Acushnet Road. The well house, once completed, will produce 400,000 gallons of drinking water per day, stated Superintendent Henri Renauld.

An application submitted by Katherine Home Improvement of Randolph for property located at 86 County Road was withdrawn with prejudice when the applicant failed to appear.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on **June 15** at 6:00 pm in the town hall conference room, if there are hearings.

Farmer's Market Presents Preliminary Plan

Rochester Planning Board

By Jean Perry

The Rochester Planning Board on May 23 held an informal meeting to review the preliminary specs of a new farmer's market coming to Rochester.

Engineer Bill Madden, representing Greg Canning, gave the board a general sense of the proposal slated for the 60-acre property on Marion Road situated on the west side of Marion Road in front of the Great Bear cranberry bogs and across from The Pines.

A four-acre area of the property is planned for development, which is situated outside the 100-foot buffer zone of nearby wetlands, according to Madden, but the Conservation Commission will still review the project. The wetlands have been flagged, Madden said.

Madden requested a waiver for stormwater management, saying that Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection regulations would not apply; rather, the project would be better suited for a "country drainage" approach.

Natural depressions on the property would pond water and allow it to recharge into the ground, and the surrounding areas of the site would be crops.

"I think that the country drainage in this setting, which is really a fairly unique [one] … would work really well," Madden said. "None of the runoff will leave this site."

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the water being directed and discharged out into the surrounding fields.

"The fields will be agricultural fields … so they'll afford a different surface texture than your standard golf course," said Madden. "It will find its way back into the ground."

"What you're saying makes sense," said Chairman Arnie Johnson, "but we'll let [the Town's independent engineer Ken Motta] take a pass at it and see what he says."

The board will refrain from granting the stormwater waiver until Motta has a chance to review the project.

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Once the application is submitted, Johnson said the board would need about a week to review the project plus two weeks for advertising, so the public hearing would likely be scheduled for July 11, unless deadlines can be met in time for the June 27 meeting.

In other matters, the board met with representatives from Melink, developers of a solar farm on Snipatuit Road. Motta then gave the board his report on what he saw the last time he went to the site, reporting that some aspects of the project have not been done according to the plan.

Motta spotted areas of the access drive where pervious materials used for the road varied at different locations – reclaimed gravel, crushed concrete – a "mishmash" of inconsistent materials causing puddles and tire ruts. Some areas of grass seed still have not germinated, either.

The board reprimanded Melink representatives present that night, with board member Gary Florindo saying, "To me, this isn't the first field that you've done, so you guys know what you got to get done…. Go over there and make it work." He continued, "If you've done what you're supposed to, then it should show."

The board scheduled a site visit for June 3 to inspect the germination of the grass, and said the board still needed an as-built plan now that the trees have been planted.

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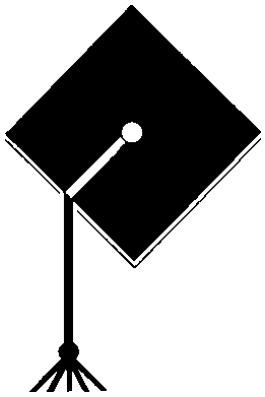
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The public hearing for Wellspring Farms of 42 Hiller Road was again continued until the next meeting at the request of the applicant.

Johnson said Borrego Solar has filed its Site Plan Review application and the public hearing should be scheduled for 27. The solar farm would be built at the corner of Rounseville Road and Mendell Road.

The board also voted to send a letter to Meadowatt, LLC after some deviations from the plan. The Route 105 solar farm is already online and generating energy, but some aspects of the maintenance and landscaping plan have not been followed, specifically including the creation of a wildflower field and some shoddy mulching around the site.

Planning Board member Ben Bailey said he finds Meadowatt's work to be "blatantly disrespectful," adding, "They're treating us as though we're ignorant."

"We can in theory reopen the hearing, revoke his permit, and shut him down," Johnson said. He added that it was "disgusting over there."

Bailey made the motion, and town counsel was authorized to send a letter stating Meadowatt's violations and giving the developer 10 working days to remedy the matter; otherwise, the board will reopen the public hearing.

The board welcomed new part-time Town Planner Steve Starrett, who will officially begin June 1 – just in time for the new solar farm project, said Johnson.

The next meeting of the Rochester Planning Board is scheduled for **June 13** at 7:00 pm at the Rochester Town Hall.

Rogers Will Not Seek Re-Appointment

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission

By Marilou Newell

On May 23, Mattapoisett Conservation Commission Chairman Bob Rogers announced that he would not seek re-appointment when his term ends on July 1.

Rogers has been a vocal advocate of the Wetlands Protection Act since his appointment to the commission in 2011. But long before that, Rogers was a member of the Planning Board, subsequently being named as the Planning Board representative to SRPEDD (Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District). Since 1998 until May 2017, Rogers has served on that board.

With two decades of public service under his belt, Rogers said that life had changed.

"It's basically because of the baby," he clarified with a smile. Fourteen months ago, the Rogers family welcomed Victoria to the clan. "I've enjoyed my service to the town," he said in a follow-up, but that it was time to concentrate on family.

On this night, accompanied by commissioners Chapman Dickerson, a recently appointed commissioner, and Mike King, a veteran commissioner, along with Conservation Agent Elizabeth Leidhold, Rogers settled in to hear 12 applications. A very long night of commission business ensued.

One public hearing got rather heated when neighbors came out to complain that a small two-lot subdivision located off Pine Island Road has been creating stormwater problems in the area.

Representing Timothy and Greta Fox, owners of Pine Island Estates, David Davignon of N. Douglas Schneider & Associates explained the Request for Amended Order of Conditions for the two parcels.

Davignon noted that the Foxes' plans to build two homes had been scaled back, reducing the size of

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both proposed structures. But abutters complained bitterly that a subdivision roadway created water runoff onto their properties.

Rogers explained that the plans as originally submitted had been permitted and that the DEP took control of the roadway project when the subdivision had been appealed through that office. He said an open Order of Conditions from the DEP for a replication area was in place and had to be completed by fall. It was not within the jurisdiction of the local commission, he said.

Molly Giordana, 24 Holly Lane, said, "I've got $10,000 worth of damage to my basement." She said when she purchased her home, the basement was dry.

But Dickerson interjected, "You bought your home during the drought."

King added, "That's already a resource area. The whole area has water issues, as does most of Mattapoisett."

But the neighbors pressed on, believing that additional construction in the area will only add to water shed onto their property. One neighbor asked that the house construction be held up until the replication area had been completed.

King said, "The matter before us is a reduction in scope," repeating that the roadway was, "with the state; we have no jurisdiction." He said no work had taken place anywhere on the parcels in the last three years.

Dissecting the issues and possible solutions, Rogers suggested that since the replication area was planned for Lot 1, the amended Order of Conditions being sought could include language mandating its completion before an occupancy permit was granted.

"That would give you plenty of time to reach seventy-five percent growth," he told Fox while giving the neighbors what they seemed to have asked for as well.

Fox said her plans were underway to build the replication area this growing season and noted that long, drawn-out legal actions had slowed plans to a halt and had thus far cost her $250,000 on what she dubbed "the most engineered road in Mattapoisett."

Fox pointed to decades-old problems and poor drainage designs by other developers as the main reason for stormwater issues and not the newer roadway servicing

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The commission ultimately agreed to place a condition on Lot 1 that an occupancy permit would not be issued until the replication area reached 75 percent growth, but that Lot 2 would not be equally encumbered and approved the amended Order of Conditions.

Davignon also represented Frederick Miller, 7 Pine Island Road, who received a Negative Determination applicability for the construction of a shed; Peter Lafreniere, 12 Snow Fields Road, whose RDA request for a septic upgrade was granted, received a Negative Determination; and Thomas Pierce, 17 Third Street, for an upgrade to a cesspool and reconfiguration of a paved driveway received Notice of Intent conditions.

Also coming before the commission were William Lannon, 3 Brandt Island Shores Road, with an RDA for construction of a garage; Christopher Mahoney, 145 Brandt Island Road, to replace a deck; Elizabeth Parker, 7 Bay View Avenue, for landscape work. All applicants received Negative Determinations.

Steven Wye of Land Planning, Inc. representing Whitman Homes, 54 Prince Snow Circle, received an Order of Conditions for the construction of a single-family home. Wye also requested a continuation for a NOI filing on behalf of Clifford Lange, 4 Split Road Lane, for tree removal.

Jeff Youngquist of Outback Engineering received an Order of Conditions for repairs to a cart path located

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School's Out for ORR Seniors

ORR Update

By Jo Caynon

Last week, the Class of 2017 attended their final classes of their high school career. Finally reaching the home stretch, their week-long sendoff was filled with fun and memorable activities to help them reflect on approaching the end of their four years at Old Rochester Regional.

The beginning of the end kicked off with the annual tasks associated with finalizing the graduation requirements for the seniors. Among these was the ritual cleaning of their lockers, as well as returning any textbooks or library books checked out in their names.

These mandatory tasks weren't the main focus of most students however, as their final classes balanced between finishing and presenting end-of-the-year projects with celebrating the impending graduation with their fellow peers. Students of all grades enrolled in French classes took a field trip to visit the Museum of Fine Arts and take advantage of a summer-esque day in Boston, while the AP Biology courses delved deeper into their

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subject by embarking on a nature hike that allowed them to observe the organisms they had been learning about all year.

In addition, the AP Environmental Science class aided the Mattapoisett Land Trust at one of their properties with pruning blueberry bushes and participating in a beekeeping presentation.

The seniors also left early on Friday in order to attend their class picnic, where yearbooks were passed out allowing students to leave lasting notes for their classmates. After having an exclusive senior class breakfast the week before, this provided one last time for the whole group to relax and enjoy each other's company before finals, prom, and graduation.

The graduating students weren't the main stars on Friday, however, as the junior class semi-formal dance lasted throughout the night. Junior students escorted their dates to the school for an event filled with dancing, entertainment, and a good time with friends.

"The music and lighting was really cool and they tried really hard to make it all fit with the 1920s theme without it being obnoxious," junior Alice Bednarczyk said.

"The decorations in the courtyard and cafeteria were very well done," junior Elise Parker agreed.

The after party held more of the varied events as the attending students stayed up into the early morning hours enjoying the various games and events that were set up for them all to enjoy.

"There was dancing, there was a magician and hypnotist, and an abundance of food," junior Maxine Kellum said with a laugh. "There was an obstacle course with a bouncy house and a jousting ring, and we played Mario Kart that was set up with a projector."

All in all, the packed week gave many opportunities for both the leaving class and the remaining students to become closer with their peers and celebrate the nearing end of another school year.

Old Rochester Sports on the 'Up and Up'

ORR Sports Update

By Alexandra Hulsebosch

Here is a summary of this week in sports at Old



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Boys' Lacrosse: The Bulldogs matched up against Dighton Rehoboth last week and dominated the game 14-2. Freshman attack **Finn McCain** and senior **Landon Goguen** both contributed three goals. **Kyle Gillis** had two goals for Old Rochester and **Alex Lorenz, Jake DeMoranville, Holden King**, and **Corey Lunn** each shot in one. Dighton Rehoboth struggled to get past the Bulldogs tight-knit defense. Dighton Rehoboth managed to get off 13 shots, but the Old Rochester goalie, **Nate King**, saved 11 of them. In their most recent matchup, the Bulldogs lost a competitive game to Sandwich 14-6. Goguen carried the team with four goals, while McCain and Tirrell both had one. Again, King had a good game with 13 saves in net. These games advance the Bulldogs to 12-3, 9-1 SCC on the season.

Girls' Tennis: The Lady Bulldogs tennis team had a booked week with four matches in six days, but they managed to stay undefeated. Old Rochester started off their week with a narrow win over Seekonk, 3-2. The first singles player **Delaney Pothier** won 6-2, 6-2. **Danielle Nutter** at second singles and the pair of **Emma Collings** and **Kinsley Dickerson** at first doubles also achieved wins. They faced league rivals, the Apponequet Lakers, on Tuesday to determine which SCC team would continue as undefeated champions of the league. The Lady Bulldogs took their first loss of the season against Apponequet, which put them in second place for the league. Pothier and Nutter both lost at first and second singles. However, both doubles teams, composed of Collings paired with Dickerson and **Delaney Soucy** paired with **Charlotte Cole**, won. The winner of the match was left to the third singles players. Unfortunately, after a three-hour match, **Zoe Bilodeau** lost. Old Rochester advanced their record to 13-1, 11-1 SCC.

Boys' Tennis: In their three matches this week, the Old Rochester boys' tennis team had no losses and allowed zero points scored from their competitors. The Bulldogs opened up their week with a 5-0 win over Seekonk. **Sam Pasquill, Alex Bilodeau**, and **Justin Smith** all captured wins in the singles courts, while **Jake Thompson** coupled with **Jahn Pothier** and **Sam**

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Wiggins combined with **Michael Stack** both had team victories in the doubles matches. In the midst of last week, the Bulldogs faced Dighton Rehoboth and had a landslide win 5-0. Old Rochester was victorious in all five matchups, and managed to not lose a set. Pasquill, Bilodeau, and Pothier all played singles. **Josh Lerman** and **Maxx Wolski** played at first doubles and **Caleb Jagoda** and **Ray Williams** participated at second doubles. Later in the week, the Bulldogs faced Wareham and pulled away with a 5-0 defeat. Smith was a first singles winner and **Ian Friedrichs** and **Jack Cadden** notched second and third singles wins. Thompson teamed up with Stack to earn themselves a win at first doubles. **Joe Sheridan** and **Emmett McQuade** managed a victory at second doubles. Old Rochester remains undefeated this season with a record of 13-0, 11-0 SCC. After their matches against Apponequet and Case, Old Rochester becomes the fourth-straight-year undefeated SEC Champions.

Baseball: Despite a tough but well-played game, Old Rochester lost to Seekonk 3-2. After the first inning, Seekonk had scored an unmatched run. However, in the second the Bulldogs persevered and scored two runs. **Dave Arruda** pitched through five innings only allowing Seekonk one run off of four hits. In the sixth inning, the opponent managed to tie the game up 2-2. **Sam Henrie** stepped in as pitcher, but it was not enough. Some questionable calls and two wild pitches cost Old Rochester the game. The bad luck turned around for the Bulldogs after their loss against Seekonk. Old Rochester played Coyle Cassidy and achieved a 6-1 victory. **Michael Kenefick** was the most valuable player for the Bulldogs at the mound. Kenefick gave up only one run off of two hits and two walks. He managed to retire 22 of the 25 batters and had seven strikeouts. Henrie had one homerun and 2 RBIs, **Jacob Asiaf** had a double and a homerun, and **Adam Breault** had a single and a homerun. In their most recent match, Old Rochester competed in a grueling battle, but triumphed over Greater New Bedford Voc Tech 8-7. **Will Hopkins** was 2-for-4 and contributed two runs. Henrie finished 1-for-2 with two runs and two walks, while Asiaf ended the game 2-for-4 with two runs. Kenefick was 2-for-3 with a walk and two RBIs. Both **Breault** brothers shined, with **John** (older) going 2-for-4 with two RBIs and **Adam** (younger) going 2-for-4 with one RBI. **James Dwyer** went 3-for-4 and added a run.

Softball: The Old Rochester softball team earned themselves two wins this week against tough competition Seekonk and Coyle Cassidy. The Lady Bulldogs won 5-3 over Seekonk thanks to a strong pitcher and a tough batting lineup. **Ashley Soares** struck out seven by walking two and allotting nine hits. **Sophie Hubbard, Olivia Labbe,** and **Hannah Guard** played an aggressive offensive game, which contributed to the win. Hubbard went 4-for-4 with one RBI, while **Labbe** was 3-for-4 with two RBIs, and Guard was 2-for-3 with a RBI. In their second matchup of the week, the Bulldogs faced Coyle Cassidy and accomplished a 10-5 victory. Soares struck out eight and only allowed four hits with two walks. The senior captain, Labbe, led the team by going 4-for-4 with five RBIs. Hubbard went 3-for-4 with a RBI and Guard was consistent, going 2-for-3 with an RBI. The Bulldogs also played Wareham and won 2-0. The game remained scoreless through six innings until Hubbard hit a double and Labbe followed with a single. These hits plated both the game's runs. Hubbard, Labbe, and Soares all were 2-for-3. Soares struck out 11 and gave up four hits and two walks.

Girls' Lacrosse: The Lady Bulldogs stay perfect after three games this past week. Old Rochester opened up their week with a 22-1 win over Dighton Rehoboth.

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Mackenzie Good led the way with five goals. **Ali Hulsebosch** and **Madison Cooney** both had three goals and three assists and **Emily Hiller** had three goals. **Avery O'Brien-Nichols** and **Catherine Tracy** had two while **Tayler Lee, Molly Lanagan, Ariane Dias, Danielle Craig, Alexa Costa, Diana LaRock,** and **Jenna Aruri** each added one. Two days later, the Bulldogs played Dighton Rehoboth away on their senior night and triumphed 19-1. Cooney was the leading goal scorer with five goals. Not far off was Hulsebosch with four goals and three assists and Hiller with three goals and an assist. O'Brien-Nichols stayed consistent and contributed two while Tracy, Dias, **Caitlyn King, Sarah Moitozo,** and **Alex Fluegel** all notched one. In their most recent victory, the Bulldogs



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faced New Bedford Voc Tech and won 22-4. Tracy paved the way with six goals and Cooney contributed four. Hulsebosch had three goals with seven assists. Hiller, Lee, and Dias had two goals each combined with a goal apiece from **Megan Shay,** Good, O'Brian-Nichols, and **Maddie Demanche**. The Bulldogs dominated the game against Barnstable by winning 21-11. Hulsebosch led the scoring with five goals. Midfielders Shea and Cooney added four each, while Hiller contributed three and Lee added two. Tracy, Ciffolillo, and O'Brian-Nichols added one a piece. In net, sophomore goalkeeper, **Gates Tenerowicz**, had 13 saves. In their most recent matchup, Old Rochester had their first loss of the season against Sandwich 14-12. Hiller carried the team in goals with four, but Ciffolillo was not far behind with three goals. Cooney and Hulsebosch each had two goals, and Hulsebosch added three assists. Tracy added one. Unfortunately, Sandwich's solid offense made it past the Bulldogs defense and led them to a victory. Old Rochester is now 16-1 on the season.

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Academic Achievements

The following Tri-Town residents were among 1,319 students from **Worcester Polytechnic Institute** (WPI) named to the university's Dean's List for academic excellence for the spring 2017 semester:

- Nicole Mattson of Marion is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in biomedical engineering.
- Alex Tavares of Marion is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in robotics engineering and computer science.
- Drew Robert of Mattapoisett is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in robotics engineering.
- Edward Krawczyk of Rochester is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in robotics engineering.
- Chad Underhill of Rochester is a member of the class of 2019 majoring in computer science.

The criteria for the WPI Dean's List differs from most other universities as WPI does not compute a grade point average (GPA). Instead, WPI defines the Dean's List by the amount of work completed at the A level in courses and projects.

Isabella King of Marion qualified for the spring 2017 Dean's List at **Belmont University**. Eligibility is based on a minimum course load of 12 hours and a quality grade point average of 3.5 with no grade below a

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Joshua Evan Powers of Mattapoisett graduated Magna Cum Laude with a BS in Accounting from **Endicott College** on Saturday, May 20, 2017. Mr. Powers is an ORRHS alumni class of 2013.

The following local residents have been named to **Emerson College**'s Dean's List for the spring 2017 semester. The requirement to make the Dean's List is a grade point average of 3.7 or higher.

- Victor Morrison, a Writing, Lit and Publishing major, of Rochester
- Abigail Morrill, a Journalism major, of Mattapoisett
- Samantha Babineau, a Communication Disorders major, of Rochester

Erin Murphy of Rochester recently was graduated from **Florida Gulf Coast University** with a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Arts and Sciences.

Meredith Welsh, daughter of Dr. And Mrs. Jason Reynolds of Marion, graduated from **Boston University School of Public Health** with a Master's degree in Public Health on May 20, 2017. She was also inducted into the Health Policy and Management Upsilon Phi Delta Honor Society. Meredith will continue her education at the University of Massachusetts Medical School's Doctor of Nursing Practice program.

Tabor Academy Commencement

Tabor Academy will welcome thirty new student members into its Cum Laude ranks at the school's Commencement Services on Monday, May 29. Founded in 1906, the Cum Laude Society is dedicated to honoring scholastic achievement in secondary schools. Modeled after the Phi Beta Kappa of colleges, the society grants a limited number of memberships to schools of superior academic quality. Tabor Academy was granted membership in 1930, and since that time over 1,000 Tabor students have been honored with Cum Laude distinction.

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8:00 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors - Finical Planning
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9:00 AM The Chico and Bman Show
9:30 AM Children's Corner
10:00 AM What's Linda Cooking
10:30 AM Eat Well Be Happy
11:00 AM Painting Journeys
12:00 PM Movie
2:00 PM The Yoga Mat
3:00 PM 100 Mile Meals
3:30 PM A Taste of Theater - Jean Lockett
4:00 PM The Kamla Show - Kenneth Lonergan
4:30 PM National Flood Insurance Program
5:30 PM All Things Victorian
6:00 PM Garage X
6:30 PM The Collective Chat
7:00PM The Registers Report
8:00 PM Legal Ease
8:30 PM Science 360
9:00 PM Deutsch Welles - Focus on Europe
9:30 PM Don't Diss My Ability
10:30 PM Words on Film

Friday May 26, 2017
7:00 AM Seniorcize
7:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors - Reverse Mortgages
8:00 AM Seniors on the Move - Aching Bones
8:30 AM Dr. Carey Baby Care
9:00 AM Ben and Bella - The Train Station
9:30 AM Ben and Bella - The Airport
10:00 AM What's Linda Cooking?
10:30 AM Eat Well Be Happy
11:00 AM Painting Journeys
12:00 PM Movie
1:30 PM The Yoga Mat
2:00 PM 100 Mile Meals
2:30 PM A Taste of Theater - AR Cook
3:00 PM The Kamla Show - Caitlin Powers
3:30 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
4:00 PM All Things Victorian
4:30 PM Rochester Historical Society
5:30 PM Health Source
6:30 PM Southcoast Matters
7:00 PM Deutsch Welles
7:30 PM Don't Diss My Ability
8:30 PM Who Did It? Clue VCR Game
9:30 PM Tech Throwback
10:00 PM Self-Publishing

Saturday May 27, 2017
6:00 AM Saturday Morning Cartoon Festival
8:30 AM What's New Massachusetts?
9:00 AM Southcoast Matters
9:30 AM What's Linda Cooking?
10:00 AM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
10:30 AM The Local Kids Show
11:00 AM The Yoga Mat
12:00 PM The Yoga Mat
12:30 PM National Flood Insurance Program
1:30 PM Garage X
2:00 PM Tech Throwback
2:30 PM Upper Cape Tech Presents
3:00 PM Words on Film
4:00 PM Women 2 Women Today
4:30 PM Eat Well Be Happy
5:00 PM Off the Shelf
5:30 PM Conversations with Dr.Don
6:30 PM 30 Medical Minuets
7:00 PM Sci-Fi Journal
8:00 PM Sidewalk Entertainment
8:30 PM ORRJHS Presents Alice in Wonderland
9:30 PM STEM in 30
10:00 PM Language of Business
10:30 PM Fox Robbins Business Show

Sunday May 28, 2017
7:00 AM The First Congregational Church of Rochester
8:30 AM National Flood Insurance Program
9:30 AM Eat Well Be Happy
10:00 AM 100 Mile Meals
10:30 AM What's New Massachusetts?
11:00 AM Painting Journeys
12:00 PM The New Testament Church of Cedarville
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3:00 PM Rochester Memorial School - A Midsummers Dream
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Monday May 29, 2017
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10:00 PM Women 2 Women Today
10:30 PM National Flood Insurance

Tuesday May 30, 2017
7:00 AM Seniorcize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Seniors - How to Maintain Your Independence
8:30 AM Dr. Carey's Baby Care
9:00 AM Ben and Bella - The Airport
9:30 AM Ben and Bella - The Train Station
10:00 AM What's Linda Cooking?
10:30 AM Eat Well Be Happy
11:00 AM Painting Journeys
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3:30 PM The Kamla Show
4:00 PM Marion Natural History Museum
5:00 PM The Local Kids Show
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7:00 PM 30 Medical Minuets
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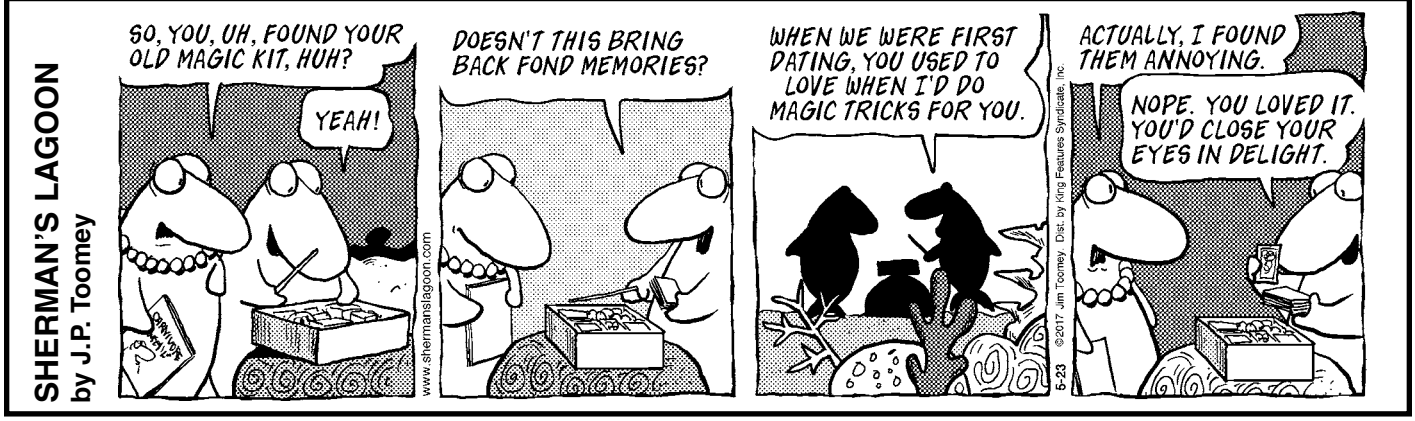
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MARION GOVERNMENT
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Daily Schedule
6:00 AM Marion School Committee - March 15, 2017
8:00 AM Marion Conservation Commission - May 11, 2017
10:00 AM Marion Planning Board - May 15, 2017
12:00 PM Marion Board of Selectmen - May 1, 2017
12:30 PM Marion Town Meeting - May 8, 2017
6:00 PM Marion Board of Selectmen - May 1, 2017
6:30 PM Marion Planning Board - May 15, 2017
8 :00 PM Marion Conservation Commission - May 11, 2017
9:30 PM Marion School Committee - May 3, 2017

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT
Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 40
Daily Schedule
7:00 AM Rochester School Committee - April 27, 2017
8:30 AM Rochester Conservation Commission - May 16, 2017
10:30 AM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - May 11, 2017
12:00 AM Rochester Planning Board - May 8, 2017
1:00 PM Rochester Board Selectmen - May 11, 2017
2:30 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - May 16, 2017
4:00 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - May 11, 2017
5:30 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - May 16, 2017
7:30 PM Rochester Board of Selectman - May 11, 2017
9:00 PM Rochester Planning Board - May 8, 2017
10:00 PM Rochester School Committee- April 27, 2017

EDUCATION CHANNEL
Comcast Channel 97
Verizon Channel 37
Daily Schedule
7:00 AM The Dog Pound Rundown Episode 8
7:25 AM SMEC YMCA Music Video 2017
7:30 AM ORRHS VJ PSA's
8:00 AM ORR Elementary Report Card Info Night
9:00 AM ORR Bulldog TV
10:00 AM ORR F.O.R.M Instrumental Concert 2017
12:00 PM The Dog Pound Rundown - Episode 8
12:30 PM OHS Elementary Advice Show
1:00 PM Upper Cape Tech Presents Careers
1:30 PM Sippican School: Dorothy in Wonderland
3:00 PM ORR Elementary Advice Show - Episode 1
3:30 PM ORR Bulldog TV
4:30 PM Rochester Memorial School - A Midsummer Night's Dream
6:00 PM Mr. ORR
8:00 PM Sippican School: Dorothy in Wonderland
9:30 PM Rochester School Committee

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and senior years. A candidate's school citizenship and moral character are considered as well.

This year's Cum Laude seniors are as follows:

- Mason DaSilva, Rochester
- Campbell Donley, Rochester
- Jack Gordon, Marion
- Eleanor "Lulu" Russell, Marion

Students from the Tri-Town who will graduate on May 29 include:

- Kayla Alison Aimone, Marion
- Sarah Elizabeth Crosby, Marion
- Cailyn Hope Garber, Marion
- Jackson Taylor Gebhardt, Marion
- Jack Kendall Gordon, Marion
- Jonathan Edward Mabie, Marion
- Aidan Bliss McEnroe, Marion
- Phoebe Alexandra Mock, Marion
- Revanth Reddy Munnangi, Marion
- Sophie Catherine Polonsky, Marion
- Eleanor Claire Russell, Marion
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- Caitlin Elizabeth Sheehan, Marion
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- Justin Thomas Sayers, Mattapoisett
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- Mason Roy DaSilva, Rochester
- Campbell Standish Donley, Rochester
- Melvin Michael Vincent, II, Rochester







Rochester Boat Racing Viewing Spots

The Rochester Land Trust invites you to view the Memorial Day Boat Race from a viewing spot on one of its properties along the Mattapoisett River. The Church's Field River Trail at approximately 101 Mattapoisett Road leads to Church's Falls, a wide open-area, where watchers can sit on one of several riverside benches and see the racers as they pass by the site of the historic Church Mill. Access is a fairly easy ½ mile walk on a well-maintained trail with plank bridges spanning potential wet areas.

The Shoolman Preserve at 200 New Bedford Road offers two more secluded spots to view the race, which require passing through wet areas along the trails as you get close to the river. These viewing spots are smaller than at Church, but there are small benches right on the riverside. Twenty-seven species of birds were heard and or seen on a recent birding walk along the Shoolman trails.

Marion Art Center Framing Workshop

As any artist or art aficionado knows, the purpose of custom framing is to find the best frame and matting design to enhance the elements of one's artwork. On Wednesday, **June 14** at 7:00 pm, the Marion Art Center will explore the framing process in a workshop/discussion offered in conjunction with Riverside Art's Stephanie Stroud. Artists can learn to design and frame their work in a do-it-yourself format. Ms. Stroud will discuss selecting a frame style and design, matting options and cutting, archival mounting techniques, glass selection and cutting and frame options – ready made vs. custom, as well as fitting and finishing. This program is free and open to the public. As space is limited, please call 508-748-1266 or email marionartcenter@verizon.net to reserve your spot.

Dog Licensing Reminder

Kathleen Massey, Animal Control Officer for the Town of Mattapoisett, wishes to remind all dog owners that late fees of $10 each on dog licenses will start on June 1, 2017. If you haven't already done so, please stop by the Town Clerk's Office between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm

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Boat Race Supper and Special Raffle

The Rochester Memorial Day Boat Race (RMDBR) Ham and Bean Supper will be held on Saturday, **May 27** at the Rochester Memorial School, 16 Pine Street in Rochester. The supper will be served from 5:00 to 7:00 pm and tickets can be purchased at the door. Adults are $10 and children under 12 are only $5. There will be beans baked by the best bean bakers in town, coleslaw and potato salad prepared by the Culinary Arts Department at Old Colony Vocational Tech HS, rolls and brown bread, and to top it all off, apple crisp for dessert prepared by Meredith of The Artisan Bake Shop.

Proceeds from the supper help offset the expenses of the race. Also, there will be a special raffle drawn at the supper. William Watling III has custom made and donated two carbon fiber river racing paddles designed specifically for the RMDBR. Specs: foam core blade and shaft with carbon fiber and fiberglass laminate; fiberglass wrapped blade tip and edges for strength and durability; molded palm grip handle; approximately 26 ounces each. One has a bent shaft, angle 5 degrees, length 53.5 inches; the other is straight, with a length of 57.25 inches. Tickets are $5 each. There will be two separate drawings, one for each paddle. Choose which drawing you would like your ticket entered in. You do not have to present to win. All proceeds go to the Rochester Firefighters Association to support the race.

This is the 83rd anniversary of the race and it remains one of the few racing events with no entry fees as it was in 1934 when it was started. Enjoy a great meal at one of the important social events of the year in our area. The more the merrier. Parking at the rear of the school, enter at the rear door. For additional information, please contact Arthur Benner, Chairman, RMDBR, 508-763-2024.

Nasketucket Bird Club Meeting

Roseate Terns: Challenges and Success from Buzzards Bay to Cape Cod will be presented by Dr. Katharine Parsons at the next Nasketucket Bird Club meeting on Thursday, **May 25** at 7:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Public Library. The library is located on Barstow Street and is handicapped accessible. The program is free and open to the public.

The Northwest Atlantic population of the Roseate Tern was listed as Endangered in 1987 under state and federal endangered species acts, and despite intensive efforts to protect birds at nesting colonies, it has failed



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to meet recovery goals. Terns are experiencing difficulty during the period between fledging and reaching sexual maturity at 3 years. The most vulnerable time in this period is during the time fledglings are preparing for their first migration to South America—the time they are staging with a care-giving adult at locations in the region with abundant, suitable prey (typically sand lance). Prior studies by Mass Audubon have shown that the majority of the Northwest Atlantic population of Roseate Terns stage during late summer on outer Cape Cod beaches and Nantucket. Current studies are focusing on the foraging ecology of staging terns, including the impact of a major shift in the marine community at critical staging sites on Cape Cod and Nantucket with the exponential growth of another sand lance specialist—Gray Seal.

Marion Art Center Auditions

The Marion Art Center has announced auditions for its summer production of *The Dinner Party*, a bittersweet comic drama by Neil Simon. Auditions will be held on Thursday, **June 1** at 7:00 pm and Saturday, **June 3** at 10:00 am at the Marion Art Center, 80 Pleasant Street (the corner of Main and Pleasant) in Marion. The script calls for three men and three women in their late 30s or early 40s. Actors should be prepared to read from the show's script.

The Dinner Party is Neil Simon's 31st play, and its action revolves around a comically chaotic French dinner party. Six people – three divorced couples – arrive to dine in a chic Parisian restaurant, each unbeknownst to the other. During the dinner, they are forced to confront the issues that tore them apart and consider the possibility of reconciliation.

Both experienced and aspiring actors are encouraged to audition. A headshot and a resume are





welcome, but not required. Under the direction of Kate Fishman, rehearsals for *The Dinner Party* will begin in early June, and the show opens Friday, August 11, with additional performances August 12, 17, 18 & 19 at 7:30 pm. The Marion Art Center is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, dedicated to promoting the visual and performing arts since 1957. For more information, visit www.marionartcenter.org or call 508-748-1266.

Elks Student of the Month

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***Logan*. Starring Hugh Jackman and Patrick Stewart. Directed by James Mangold. Running time: 137 minutes. MPAA rating: R. Now on home video.**

Logan is the Wolverine movie they should have made all along. As it is, coming after the terrible *X-Men Origins: Wolverine* (2009) and the compromised *The Wolverine* (2013), it looks even better than it might have. The mean but noble mutant has been around in movies since 2000, in a variety of *X-Men* films, and in comic books since 1974. *Logan* is intended as a valedictory to this popular character (but only in movies; his services are still needed to move units for Marvel Comics), a neo-western that has more of *Shane, The Cowboys* and *Unforgiven* in its DNA than it has of most other superhero movies. It has the farewell-tour poignancy of a popular, aging baseball star taking that final trot around the diamond.

Hugh Jackman is that star; yoked to Wolverine, aka Logan, aka James Howlett, for the last seventeen years, he leans into the sad, heavy gravity of the moment, playing Logan as a slowly expiring warrior (the unbreakable adamantium coating his bones and his claws is poisoning him). It's 2029, and mutants are on the way out; in a possible nod to *Children of Men*, no new mutants have been born in 25 years. Logan passes his days driving a limo and his nights taking care of his old mentor Charles Xavier (Patrick Stewart), former leader of the X-Men, now living uncomfortably with Alzheimer's. Medications control Xavier's seizures, which, due to his telekinetic prowess, tend to paralyze anyone around.

If you've been following these two in comics or movies at all (I confess I tapped out a few years ago), it's moving to see them gray and broken down, addled by pills or booze as their only anodynes. They still have some use, though: new mutants are indeed being created in a lab, among them Laura, or X-23 (Dafne Keen), a vicious little wild child with fist-claws of her own, plus foot-spikes for good measure. Logan and Xavier must convey Laura to a possibly-mythical locale called Eden, where others of her kind are in hiding from the sociopaths pursuing them. Like *Deadpool* last year, *Logan* may be based on Marvel comic books, but it carries an R rating — a fairly hard R, in which we finally see what Logan's claws actually do to flesh and bone. Profanity is likewise liberated, not only from the surly Logan but from the heretofore genteel Xavier.

Logan comes from director James Mangold, who also helmed *The Wolverine;* it's as though he undertook this project to atone for the last one, and much pleasure can be taken in the movie's realistic substance, the creak of rusty Ford truck doors, the gurgle of perforated arteries. The script, by Mangold, Scott Frank and Michael Green, is heavily derivative, though — we've seen most of the beats before, and when a brutal Logan clone called X-24 joins the party, the film starts to feel overcrowded, over-villained, as though well-armed hordes with robot hands weren't threatening enough. *Logan* has a few mitigating human moments — I liked the quiet insouciance with which Patrick Stewart donned a fedora — but the plotting is a bit too blockbuster-pulpy for the movie to be the cleansing back-to-basics art it seems to want to be.

Still, I must be honest and say I got misty a couple of times. "At least there's water — he's got water" is painfully fine as a terse, choked eulogy. And the physically failing heroes trying to protect the young and powerful from the corrupt and mutilated make for a resonant conflict visually as well as thematically. *Logan* could probably be shelved with *The Dark Knight* as a superhero film that tries to transcend genre by borrowing copiously from other genres, and by taking itself with seriousness that borders on po-faced. (*Logan* has the edge here with the jostling, caustic rapport between Jackman and Stewart.) It's worth seeing exactly once, but beyond that, it's too overstuffed — and not fun enough — to reward revisits.

student who excels in scholarship, citizenship, performing arts, fine arts, hobbies, athletics, church, school and community service, industry and farming.

We congratulate junior Hannah Farias of Marion for being selected as Student of the Month for the month of June by the Old Rochester Regional High School faculty and staff. Hannah is a junior and a delight to have in class. She continues to show commitment and willingness to help. She is always eager to go the extra mile. She is a person who is well organized, considerate, and independent.

Mattapoisett Historical Society Yard Sale

The Mattapoisett Historical Society will hold a yard sale on Baptist Street in Mattapoisett on Saturday, **June 10** starting at 8:00 am and ending at 11:00 am. There will be a variety of items for sale: ceramics, antique irons, furniture, games, *Presto Press*, etc. Come buy a treasure and support the Mattapoisett Historical Society.

MAC to Host Gayle Wells Mandle Exhibit

The Marion Art Center is pleased to announce the upcoming opening of an exhibition of mixed media paintings, Breaking News, by artist Gayle Wells Mandle. From Friday, May 26 through Saturday, June 24, both of the Art Center's galleries will be filled with works by the renowned artist. A reception in her honor will be held on Friday, **May 26**, at the Marion Art Center, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. It is free and open to the public.

Mandle, who earned her MFA at Rhode Island



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Tri-town Police Logs

MARION

Log highlights May 14-May 20

- Mill St – 911 abandoned
- Main St – Officer wanted
- County Rd – MV collision
- Wareham Rd – Health/welfare
- Wareham Rd – Paper service
- Mill St – Officer wanted
- Spring St - Fraud
- Point St – Paper service
- Front St – MV collision
- Wareham Rd – Annoying phone calls
- Mill St – Officer wanted
- Spring St – Officer wanted
- Mill St – Officer wanted
- Wareham Rd – Officer wanted
- Mill St – Follow up investigation
- Wareham Rd – MV collision
- Island Wharf Rd – Lost property
- Point Rd – Parking enforcement
- Spring St – Officer wanted
- Water St – EMS/medical
- Field Stone Ln – Officer wanted
- Route 195 West – MV collision
- Gifford's Corner Rd – Officer wanted
- Mill St - Fraud
- Green St – Officer wanted
- Mill St – MV collision
- Wareham Rd – Noise complaint
- Point Rd – Officer wanted
- Spring St – MV collision

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights May 14-May 20

- Marina Dr – Assist other agency
- Homestead Ct – Animal control
- County Rd – Follow up investigation
- Marina Dr – Summons service
- Alderberry Rd – Suspicious MV
- Deer Run – 911 abandoned
- North St – Health/welfare
- Mechanic St - Vandalism
- Oakland St – Animal control
- County Rd - Complaint
- Fairhaven Rd – Suspicious persons
- County Rd – 911 abandoned
- Prince Snow Cir – Ambulance request
- Water St – Suspicious persons
- County Rd – 911 call
- Water St - Disturbance
- Wildwood Ter – Officer wanted
- Long Plain Rd – Health/welfare
- Lebaron Way – Health/welfare
- Tara Rd – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – Assist other agency
- Water St - Disturbance
- Church St Ext – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – Harassment service
- North St - Complaint
- Reservation Rd – Suspicious MV
- Water St – Medical assist
- Angelica Ave - Complaint
- Foster St – Assist citizen

ROCHESTER

Log highlights May 14-May203

- Bisbee Dr – Ambulance request
- Cushman Rd – Officer wanted
- Stevens Rd – Ambulance request
- County Rd – Ambulance request
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- Cranberry Hwy – Ambulance request
- Vaughn Hill Rd – Officer wanted
- Walnut Plain Rd – Officer wanted
- Dr Braley Dr – Officer wanted
- Rounseville Rd - Lockout
- North Ave – Health/welfare
- Hartley Rd – Ambulance request
- Mattapoisett Rd - Investigation
- Quaker Ln - Complaint
- North Ave – Officer wanted
- Cranberry Hwy – Assist other agency
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- North Ave - Complaint
- Dexte ln – Community service
- Dexter Ln – Restraining order service
- Neck Rd – Suspicious activity
- Neck Rd – B&E/MV
- New Bedford Rd – Officer wanted
- High St – Officer wanted
- Marion Rd – Ambulance request
- Snows Pond Rd – Officer wanted
- Dexter Ln – Community service
- Negus Way - Trespass
- Walnut Plain Rd – Larceny/forgery

For a full PDF of the three town's police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.

Regional Lunch Menus

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Chicken chow mein, chow mein noodles, oriental veg, whole wheat hamburger roll, pineapple
Wednesday, May 31: Baked meatloaf, mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed veg, whole wheat bread, mini lemon creme, diet low sugar cake
Thursday, June 1: Beef burgundy, egg noodles, California blend, oatmeal roll, mixed fruit
Friday, June 2: Potato pollock, hash browns, summer blend, dinner roll, applesauce

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato basil soup, goldfish crackers, cucumber coins, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, May 31: Chicken tenders, sweet potato puffs, spinach, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, June 1: BBQ pulled pork slider, baked beans, corn on the cobb, homemade fruit crisp, fresh fruit cup
Friday, June 2: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato basil soup, goldfish crackers, cucumber coins, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, May 31: Chicken tenders, sweet potato puffs, spinach, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, June 1: BBQ pulled pork slider, baked beans, corn on the cobb, homemade fruit crisp, fresh fruit, milk
Friday, June 2: Field Day Picnic lunch: hot dog, fun size chips, pickle, fruit, milk

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Grilled cheese basil soup, goldfish crackers, cucumber coins, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, May 31: Chicken tenders, french fries, spinach, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, June 1: BBQ pulled pork sandwich, baked beans, corn on the cobb, homemade fruit crisp, fresh fruit, milk
Friday, June 2: Cheese quesadilla, salsa, sour cream, Mexican rice, fiesta corn, fresh fruit, milk

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Grilled cheese sandwich, homemade soup, goldfish crackers, cucumber coins, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, May 31: Chicken tenders, sweet potato puffs, spinach, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, June 1: BBQ pulled pork slider, baked beans, corn on the cobb, homemade fruit crisp, fresh fruit, milk
Friday, June 2: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk

SIPPICAN SCHOOL

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato basil soup, goldfish crackers, cucumber coins, fresh fruit, milk
Wednesday, May 31: Chicken tenders, french fries, spinach, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk
Thursday, June 1: BBQ pulled pork slider, baked beans, corn on the cobb, homemade fruit crisp, fresh fruit, milk
Friday, June 2: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad, carrot & celery sticks, fresh fruit, milk

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, May 29: Holiday
Tuesday, May 30: Hot dog, fries & baked beans
Wednesday, May 31: Nachos w/ taco meat or chili, lettuce, tomato, salsa & sour cream
Thursday, June 1: Build-a-bowl or wrap
Friday, June 2: Taco pizza & garden salad

School of Design and quickly launched many solo and group exhibitions throughout the United States, considers herself to be a storyteller. She feels a responsibility as an artist to draw attention to world events that affect our well-being, examining current affairs and global events through her artwork. Having recently returned from living several years in the Middle East, much of Mandle's recent artwork has focused on human rights, social and economic inequality and environmental challenges. In her creative process, Mandle presents the story in each painting in a semi-abstract format, using mixed media, text and texture to support the narrative. She says, "While the canvas is like a megaphone for me, I choose to present the story in a more poetic format. The Eastern philosophy of balancing opposites appeals to my aesthetic sensibility. I work back and forth on my canvases from construction to deconstruction, adding my writing to partially erased thoughts, all the time planning, yet embracing spontaneity in the process. I use the reality depicted in my own photographs, juxtaposing them with abstractions that develop from torn textures and the energy of my brushstrokes. My process involves continual adding and editing, the story revealed and then partially veiled to engage in a 'hide and seek dialogue' with the observer."

The Marion Art Center is located at 80 Pleasant Street in Marion, MA and is open to the public. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday from 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.





EAST MARION SALTBOX
Meticulous Saltbox style home set on a professionally landscaped .76 acre lot, adjacent to the Piney Point neighborhood. An ideal family home boasting eat-in kitchen with center island, den with fireplace and custom built-ins, formal living room, dining room, half bathroom and mudroom with laundry. The second floor has 4 bedrooms, one full secondary bathroom and a spacious master bedroom with en suite full bath. A partially finished basement with ample storage finishes off the inside of the home. A generous deck that spans the rear of the house and is accessed from within both the kitchen and dining room, provides a wonderful flow for entertaining family and friends.
Exclusively listed at $565,000



EAST MARION COLONIAL
Turn-key Colonial style home set on a cul-de-sac in East Marion. Built in 2001, this home has bright and open spaces with fine finishes throughout. First floor boasts an eat-in-kitchen with new appliances and access to a private deck, large dining room, living room, pantry, half bath, and grand family room with cathedral ceilings and fireplace. Second floor includes master bedroom suite with his and hers walk-in closets. In addition, there are two additional bedrooms, full bathroom and laundry facilities. The basement has been finished to include a mudroom, playroom/bonus space, as well as an additional room that can serve as a 4th bedroom, home office, workout area, etc.
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TriTown Happenings





Saturday, May 20, marked the official establishment of the "EmpowORR" Community Garden behind Old Rochester Regional Junior High School. The students and staff of the Transition Program at ORR High School established the garden to provide an opportunity for students with unique abilities to gain horticultural experience, including the sale of the produce at local farmers' markets, while fostering community service opportunities. Photos by Jean Perry





Sunday, May 23, was the second annual Tour de Crème hosted by the Mattapoisett Land Trust and the Friends of the Mattapoisett Bike Path. Participants wound their way through the Southcoast on 11-, 19-, 25-, and 50-mile rides, making stops at local creameries along the way. Photos by Colin Veitch





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2017 Memorial Day Ceremony and Parade

The Mattapoisett Memorial Day Ceremony and Parade will take place on Monday, **May 29** at 1:30 pm. We are honored to have Commander Bryan D. Williams, U.S. Navy as our guest speaker. Due to road construction, the ceremony will take place on the Barstow Street side of the Center School Grounds, in place of the library. The parade route will remain the same. Participants are asked to arrive at 1:00 pm. This year marks a 100 year milestone for one of our Town's residents. It was 100 years ago this year, in 1917, when George Randall's father, Jerry L. Randall recited the Gettysburg Address. In honor of this 100 year anniversary, George Randall will recite the Gettysburg Address at our 2017 Ceremony.

Mattapoisett Democratic Town Committee

The MDTC will conduct an election for officers at the Mattapoisett Library, 7 Barstow Street, from 10:15 am to 12:00 noon on Saturday, **May 27**. All current members of the Committee are urged to attend. If you are a Mattapoisett resident, registered as a Democrat and not yet a member of your Mattapoisett Democratic Town Committee but would like to be, come to the meeting. We will be swearing in new members. Questions? Contact mattdems@gmail.com.

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TriTown Happenings





Mattapoisett, Fairhaven, New Bedford, Dartmouth and Westport volunteers spent Saturday morning on the Sharing the Harvest Farm located at the YMCA in Dartmouth, helping plant 6,000 seedlings and seeds. All produce raised from our efforts will go to local food pantries throughout the summer. The Southcoast Lions sponsored the event. Photos courtesy Don Bamberger





The Marion Natural History Museum wishes to thank Caroline Grainger for her donation of several beautifully carved birds created by her father, James Babbit. The museum lost many of its specimens during our ceiling collapse and these incredibly detailed pieces are greatly appreciated. The museum is hoping to create a new display of nature-inspired artwork from local artists and these specimens are a great start. Photos courtesy Elizabeth Leidhold



The Marion Natural History Museum wishes to thank Jim and Madeleine Porter of "Natures Worms" for Wednesday's wonderful program. The students had a chance to build a worm box and learn about earthworms and red wigglers. We saw how worms move through the soil, which allows for air and nutrients to be distributed throughout and makes it healthier. Worms also add to the nutrients to the soil by breaking down organic material into usable forms. We also found out what goes into a compost bin and what stays out, and several of the students brought home their own "pet" worm. The Museum wishes to thank all the students involved in our after-school programs this year. We had a great year and hope that you will stop by over the summer months to visit. Our summer program offerings may be viewed on the museum's website: www.marionmuseum.org. Photo courtesy Elizabeth Leidhold

These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com

Mariner Youth Soccer Scholarship Applications

The Mariner Youth Soccer Association, which has provided soccer instruction, skills clinics and both recreational and competitive soccer opportunities to children ages 4-18 in the communities of Fairhaven, Mattapoisett, Marion, Rochester and Acushnet for over 25 years, is pleased to announce that it will be offering four $500 scholarships to Mariner Youth Soccer Alumni this spring. Criteria are at a minimum: must be a high school senior living in one of the above listed communities and must have played for Mariner Youth Soccer for a minimum of 4 years. Scholarship deadline is June 15, 2017.

Applications can be downloaded from our website www.marineryouthsoccer.com or requested from angeladawicki@gmail.com.

Tri-County Symphonic Band

The Tri-County Symphonic Band announces its 15th Annual Benefit Pops Concert, "Hollywood Blockbusters," on Sunday, **June 11** in the Grand Tent at the Fireman Performing Arts Center, Tabor Academy, 235 Front Street, Marion. 1:00 pm - Social Hour, Light Fare, and Raffle and 2:00 pm - Concert, Cupcakes and Coffee. Admission is $25. Tickets may be purchased at The Bookstall in Marion, the Symphony Music Shop in Dartmouth, and online at BrownPaperTickets.com. Any remaining tickets will be sold at the door.

24th Annual Buzzards Bay Swim

Kick off your summer with a splash by swimming for clean water at the Buzzards Bay Coalition's 24th annual Buzzards Bay Swim on Saturday, **June 24**. Swimmers can register now at www.savebuzzardsbay.org/swim.

With just over a month to go before the event, more than 260 swimmers from all over New England and the U.S. have already signed up for this 1.2-mile point-to-point open water swim across outer New Bedford Harbor, from the South End of New Bedford to Fort Phoenix State Reservation in Fairhaven. Swimmers of all levels ages 11 and up are welcome – if you can swim for 40-50 minutes continuously, you can complete the Buzzards Bay Swim!

At the celebratory finish line party, swimmers are greeted by a cheering crowd, finisher's medal, live steel

OBITUARIES

James Batcheller of Henderson, Nevada and Fairbanks, Alaska passed away on February 20, 2017 of natural causes.

Born on July 1, 1943 in Chelsea, Massachusetts, Jim lived an active, productive, and fulfilling life.

A retired Army Field Surgeon, he continued his medical practice in civilian life so as to accommodate his life-long interests in hunting, fishing, world-wide travelling, and family.

Christian, conservative, and intellectually engaged, he would eagerly and aggressively hold forth on a wide range of subjects.

He is survived by two brothers and a host of cousins, nephews, and nieces.

A memorial service and burial will be conducted on July 1st in Mattapoisett where Jimmy spent many of his happiest days. The service will be held at 12:00 pm at 89 Mattapoisett Neck Road.



Anna J. (Reiniche) Wallace, 95 of Mattapoisett died May 21, 2017 peacefully at St. Anne's Hospital surrounded by her family.

She was the wife of the late Manuel Gomes, Jr. and William J. Wallace.

Born in New Bedford, the daughter of the late Emile L. and Alice (Lefaivre) Reiniche, she was raised in Dartmouth. She raised her family in New Bedford before retiring to Mattapoisett.

After raising her family, she was employed by Vander Electric for many years until her retirement.

Anna was a member of the Midtown Square Dancing Club and the Mattapoisett Women's Club. She enjoyed gardening and created a Japanese garden in her backyard. Anna also enjoyed traveling throughout Europe and Canada.

She was proud of her French heritage and was fluent in French.

Anna was a kind, compassionate and generous person who enjoyed her family and her friends.

Her family would like to extend special thanks to the staff of St. Anne's Hospital for the excellent care given to Anna.

Survivors include her daughter, Eileen Marum of Marion; 2 sons, Dennis Gomes and his wife Norma and Carl Gomes and his wife Lynette, all of Colorado; a step-son, Robert Wallace and his wife Marie of Florida; 4 grandchildren, Courtney Marum, Lindsey Gomes, Luke Gomes and Mary Margaret Enos; 7 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was the sister of the late Alice Enos and Rene Reiniche.

Her Funeral will be held on Friday at 8:30 am from the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Route 6, Mattapoisett, followed by her Funeral Mass at St. Anthony's Church at 9:30 am. Visiting hours will be on Thursday from 4-6 pm. Burial will follow in the Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne. For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Super Crossword

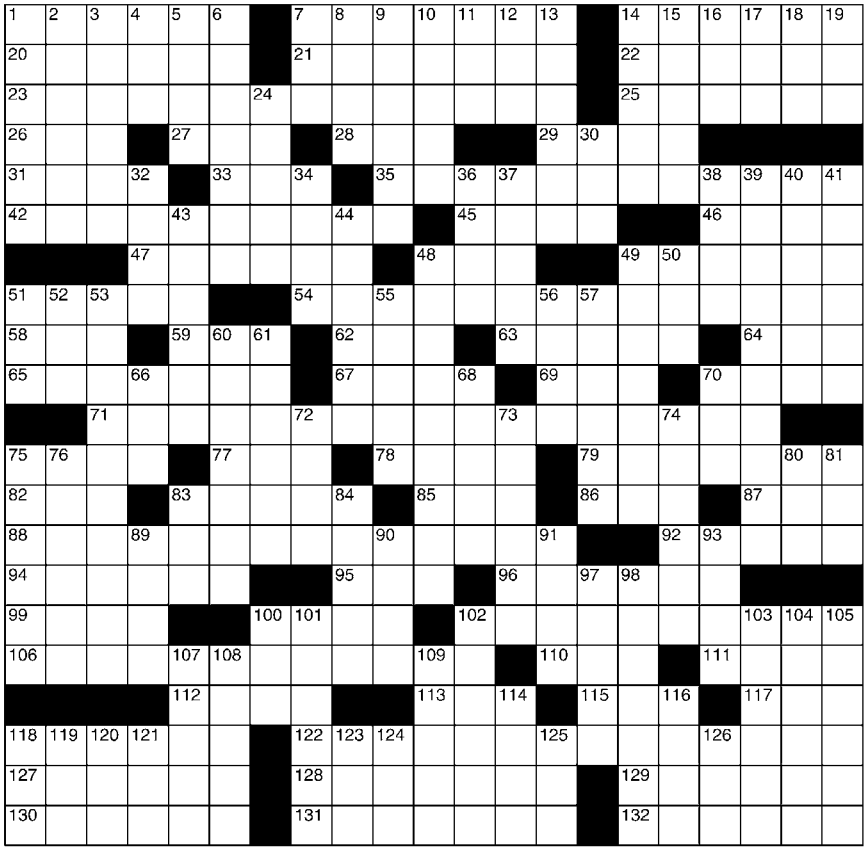
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ACROSS

1 Thick-skinned river critters
7 Women's soft hats of old
14 Crouches, as a catcher
20 Dream up
21 Turkey's landmass
22 Career-track type
23 British hero sandwich?
25 Cut in half
26 Aunts, e.g.
27 Maglie of the old Giants
28 Be sickly
29 Give off
31 Certain tennis edge
33 "America" contraction
35 Person born to be an apartment manager?
42 Car made in an Alabama port?
45 Schoolyard rejoinder
46 Gap
47 Small brawl
48 "Drop — line"
49 Place for petri dishes
51 Hold tightly
54 Syringe causing a bad skin reaction?
58 Gmail rival
59 World finance org.
62 Holiday quaff
63 Thin, white mushroom
64 CBS drama
65 Advil rival
67 "Yipes!"
69 Printer resolution stat
70 Kids' author Silverstein
71 Very busy checkout area?
75 "— to You" (2009 Lady Antebellum hit)
77 Lamprey lookalike
78 Pepsi or RC
79 Easily duped sort
82 Body filled with eau
83 Old TV's Desi
85 The, to Jules
86 Pitchfork-shaped letter
87 Trim grass
88 Put-down during a visit with the doc?
92 John of plows
94 Takes as one's own
95 Tar's "Help!"
96 Doofus
99 Any of three English rivers
100 Pets that purr
102 Gregarious protester?
106 Beloved big rig?
110 Pal, to Jules
111 Big name in faucets
112 Process part
113 "As I see it," online
115 Ending for percent
117 Harass
118 Like rabbis and shuls
122 PC shortcut used by inflation calculators?
127 Broad road
128 Celestial body circlers
129 Let the wind freshen
130 Not as bold
131 Deluge
132 Vagabonds

DOWN

1 "October Sky" memoir-ist Homer
2 Eager volunteer's repetitive response
3 Ballpoint tip
4 Butter unit
5 Big name in elevators
6 State political bodies
7 GQ target
8 Take — loan
9 Brief mental glitch
10 Arum lily
11 Equine beast
12 More, to a maestro
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15 Packs it in
16 FedEx rival
17 Kong, e.g.
18 Small jerk
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32 Future lice
34 1973 novel by Toni Morrison
36 Theater level
37 Data plan datum
38 "Whoops!"
39 Multicolored
40 Tick by
41 Bring past a simmer again
43 Ida of old films
44 Early online protocol
48 Units of a million watts per ampere
49 Skimpy swimsuits
50 Here, to Jules
51 Gun, in slang
52 Senator Blunt
53 Very versatile
55 Rationale
56 Inner: Prefix
57 Like bit-free orange juice
60 Folks not living in the past
61 Spoken with ease
66 Suffix with northeast
68 Struck out in editing
70 Realize
72 Quahog or geoduck
73 Spot for slots
74 Big small-screen star
75 Sgt. Friday catchphrase
76 Get from a pitcher anew
80 —'easter
81 She-sheep
83 British islet
84 Gives relish
89 Big oil gp.
90 Muzzle part
91 "The Bicycle Thief" director Vittorio De —
93 Dutch cheese
97 Act like
98 Denounces
100 Stage signal
101 Angle
102 Playwright de Beauvoir
103 PFC, e.g.
104 Rip to shreds
105 Bullion bars
107 Time release
108 Alternate
109 Underage
114 Arab country
116 Arab bigwig
118 Gridlock
119 Day before
120 Really little
121 Sign
123 Cote sound
124 Rink great Bobby
125 Banjo finale?
126 Coaching great Parseghian



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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A stubborn refusal to go ahead on a project mystifies colleagues who expected more flexibility. But once you explain your position, they'll understand and even applaud you.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A relationship seems to be stuck in the same place. Now it's up to you, dear Bovine, to decide how far you want it to go and how intense you want it to be. Choose well and choose soon.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A relationship progresses more slowly than you would prefer. Best advice: Insist on a frank and open discussion. What is learned could change minds and, maybe, hearts.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) It's all right to be grateful to a workplace colleague who has done you a good turn. But gratitude shouldn't be a life-long obligation. The time to break this cycle is now.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) It's going to be especially nice to be the King of the Zodiac at this time. A recent money squeeze eases. Plans start to work out, and new friends enter Your Majesty's domain.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Before you make a commitment on any level (personal, professional, legal), get all the facts. There might be hidden problems that could cause trouble later on.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Personal relationships improve. Professional prospects also brighten. A job offer could come through by month's end. An old friend seeks to make contact.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your senses detect that something is not quite right about a matter involving a workplace colleague. Best advice: Follow your keen instincts and don't get involved.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A prospect offers rewards, but it also demands that you assume a great deal of responsibility. Knowing you, you're up to the challenge, so go for it, and good luck.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A favor you did a long time ago is repaid, as a trusted colleague steps in to help you with a suddenly expanded workload. A family member has important news.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A new job offer could require moving across the country. But before you let your doubts determine your decision, learn more about the potentials involved.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your sense of fair play doesn't allow you to rush to judgment about a friend who might have betrayed you. Good! Because all the facts are not yet in.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a romantic nature that allows you to find the best in people. You would excel at poetry and drama.

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drum band, beer tent, free massages and pancakes cooked to order. Prizes will be awarded to individuals and teams for speed, fundraising and length of participation, including the new "Pukwudgie Award" for swimmers who have participated in 20 Buzzards Bay Swims.

All funds raised from the Buzzards Bay Swim support the Coalition's work to protect clean water in communities across the region, from Little Compton to Woods Hole. Over the past 24 years, swimmers have collectively raised more than a million dollars to help improve the health of the Bay ecosystem for all. Registration is $25 with a $150 fundraising minimum (pay-or-raise).

As an added challenge this year, West Falmouth resident and 10-year Buzzards Bay Swim veteran Larry Fish has offered a $25,000 matching grant if 340 swimmers sign up and raise a total of $135,000.

Looking to learn more about the Swim before you sign up? Join the Coalition and open-water swimming experts from YMCA Southcoast for a free open water swim clinic at Fort Phoenix State Reservation on Saturday, June 10 at 9:00 am or Saturday, June 17 at noon. Attendees will get to see the course firsthand, ask questions about the event, and learn great tips from swim coaches and Buzzards Bay Swim participants.

For more information about the Buzzards Bay Swim or the free swim clinics, visit www.savebuzzardsbay.org/swim or contact the Coalition at 508-999-6363 ext. 207 or events@savebuzzardsbay.org.

The Waterkeeper Alliance SPLASH Buzzards Bay Swim to benefit Buzzards Baykeeper is also sponsored by Amica Insurance, Citizens Commercial Banking, YMCA Southcoast and Fiber Optic Center. For more information on the SPLASH Event Series, presented nationally by Toyota, please visit www.splashseries.org.

PRIDE 2017

PRIDE is coming back to New Bedford on Saturday, **June 3** at Buttonwood Park, New Bedford. PRIDE 2017 will be a fun packed, family friendly day with live entertainment, food vendors, artisan booths, resources, and a Kid Zone. The event is a free community event open to the public and sponsored by the South Coast LGBTQ Network.

Join yoga and fitness expert Jeff Costa for an "out and proud" all-levels Kripalu Yoga class to officially kick off PRIDE 2017 at 9:30 am in Buttonwood Park (near the Buttonwood Community Center and the pond). New Bedford Wellness is hosting a Wellness Walk at 10:30 am, a 1.9mi/45 minute walk around the park.

There will be live entertainment throughout the day (11:00 am - 4:00 pm), with hostess Jacqueline DiMera from Providence (Miss Gay Kentucky USofA Newcomer 2017 and Host/Show Director at The Dark Lady), DJ Nicole Lopes, Kristen Merlin from The Voice and a full lineup of local talent.

For more information, contact Rebecca or Miila at 508-996-3343 ext. 21 or email info@sclgbtqnetwork.org. Visit us online at www.sclgbtqnetwork.org.

Mattapoisett Road Race

The Mattapoisett Road Race will take place at 9:00 am on Tuesday, **July 4**. A great way to celebrate Independence Day, the course winds through picturesque Mattapoisett village, around fabled Ned's Point Lighthouse, and back to Shipyard Park at the town wharf. Race proceeds are awarded to college-bound ORRHS runners. Race starts and finishes at Shipyard Park. Course: Accurately measures 5 miles through Mattapoisett; splits at each mile; water throughout. Enter





LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF MARION
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
LEGAL NOTICE CASE #738

The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 pm on Thursday, June 8, 2017, in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the application of RICHARD LUCAS for a Special Permit under section 6.1.3 and 6.1.5 of the zoning by-law to allow the reconstruction and expansion of an existing non-conforming accessory structure.

The property, located at 6 Allen Street, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 16 as Lot 116.

Marc Leblanc, Chairman 5/18, 5/25

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Section 15C and Chapter 87, Section 3-5, the Mattapoisett Tree Warden will hold a joint public hearing with the Planning Board during a regularly scheduled meeting at the Mattapoisett Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts at 7:00 pm on Monday, June 5, 2017 on the request for a permit authorizing, and consent of the Planning Board for, the cutting and removal of a Maple Tree DBH approx.: 15" x 48" x 30' and a Linden Tree DBH approx.: 28" x 87" x 35' located at 116 Acushnet Road, Acushnet Road being a designated scenic way in Town. (Publication posted upon the Tree(s) requested to be removed). 5/18, 5/25

TOWN OF MARION
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
INVITATION TO BID

Sealed Bids for the I/I Removal Program - Area CR-4A-1 will be received by the Town of Marion, Massachusetts at the office of the Board of Selectmen, Town Hall, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738 until 10:00 am June 1, 2017 and at that time and place bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. If, at the time of the scheduled bid opening, Town Hall is closed due to uncontrolled events such as fire, snow, ice, or building evacuation, the bid opening will be postponed until 3:00 pm on the next normal business day and bids will be accepted until that revised date and time.

The work of this Contract consists of furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary to perform sewer line cleaning and lining, sewer manhole repair, testing and sealing of service connections and sewer service replacement as specified and as indicated on the Drawings. Hereinafter, "Drawings" shall refer to all Figures included within Appendix A and Drawings included within this Contract. Work also includes traffic management, miscellaneous work and cleanup, and all other work required to complete the work as shown on the Drawings and specified herein.

The Contract Time shall be 90 Calendar days commencing twenty days following the Effective Date of the Agreement. No time extension will be granted for inclusion of the Bid Alternate.

Contract Documents may be examined and/or obtained at the office of CDM Smith, 260 West Exchange Street, Suite 300, Providence, RI 02903 after 12:00 pm on Thursday, May 4, 2017.

Contract Documents are available for examination at Town Hall, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA and available for examination online at http://dodgeprojects.construction.com/.

A deposit of $50.00 in cash, bank or certified check payable to the Town of Marion, Massachusetts will be required for each set of the Contract Documents. Up to two complete sets of Contract Documents will be available to General Bidders. A refund of the deposit will be made for such Documents returned in good condition within 30 days after the Bids are received. Any person requiring more than two sets will be required to pay a non-refundable fee in the form of a separate check for each additional set in the amount of $50.00 per set.

Bidders requesting Contract Documents by mail shall include an additional non-refundable check payable to CDM Smith Inc. in the amount of $25.00 per set to cover costs of handling and mailing. Bidders may also provide a Fedex or UPS account number in lieu of the $25.00 check.

Each Bid shall be submitted in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and shall be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of five percent of the Bid.

Bidders may not withdraw their Bids for a period of thirty days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays after the actual date of the opening of the Bids.

The Successful Bidder must furnish a 100 percent Performance Bond and a 100 percent Payment Bond with a surety company acceptable to the Owner.

Complete instructions for filing Bids are included in the Instructions to Bidders.

Wage rates for this Project are subject to the minimum wage rates as per M.G.L., Chapter 149, Sections 26 to 27H, inclusive.

The bidding and award of this Contract will be under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30, Section 39M.

Award of the Contract will be contingent on the Town's needs, appropriation and availability of funds. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all Bids if deemed to be in its best interest. 5/18, 5/25

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
CONSERVATION COMMISSION & TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 6, 2017 at 7:00 pm in the Rochester Town Hall Meeting Room, One Constitution Way, Rochester, MA regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by SIPPICAN MILL, LLC for property located on 284 Mary's Pond Road, Rochester, MA 02770, designated as Lot 2 on Assessor's Map 9. The applicant proposes to remove the large dying tree adjacent to the grist mill. The tree is in danger of adversely impacting the structure of the mill.

The property owner of record is Sippican Mill, LLC, P.O. Box 448, Wareham, MA 02571. This meeting is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law.

Michael Conway, Chairman 5/25

TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE

The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 14, 2017 at 7:10 pm in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability (File No. 41D-1647), submitted by BRIAN DUPRAS, to determine what resource areas exist on the lot. Previous filing under 41D-1156 at 13 Card Drive.

The site is further identified as Lot 85 on Marion Assessors' Map 18. Plans are available at the Town House for review.

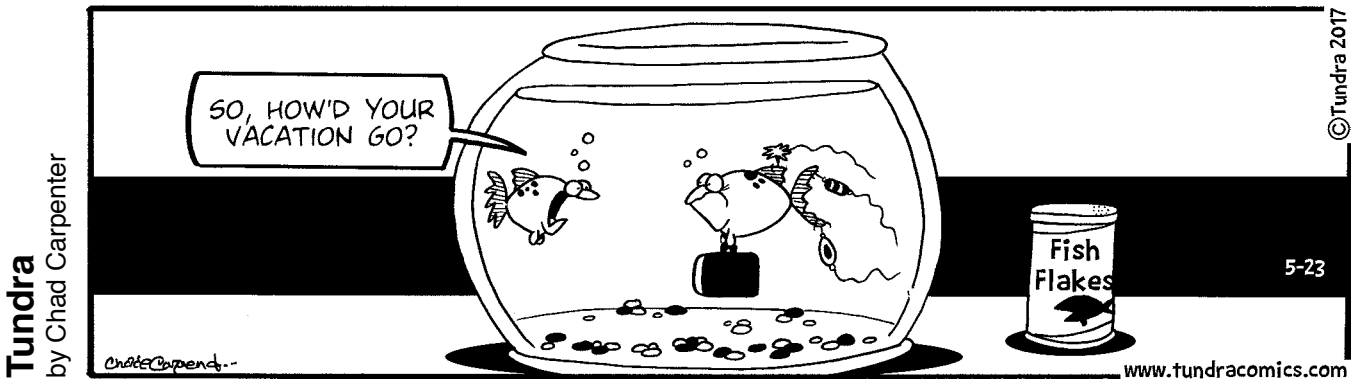
Cynthia Callow, Chairman 5/25

TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE

The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 14, 2017 at 7:00 pm in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability (File No. 41D-1646), submitted by MARK & ELIZABETH FREDERICKS, to remove existing 10' x 16' deck and stairs and landing. Build new 12' x 22' deck with stairs and landing, along with ten new footings at 11 Bass Point Road.

The site is further identified as Lot 89 on Marion Assessors' Map 5A. Plans are available at the Town House for review.

Cynthia Callow, Chairman 5/25



online at www.mattapoisettroadrace.com. All entry fees are non-refundable. Cost prior to June 28 – Online Registration is $20. Race Day Registration – each person is $30. Mailed Registration – each person is $30. Lightweight shirts to the first 750 entries. T-shirt pick-up times are 4:00 - 6:00 pm on Monday, July 3, or 7:30 - 8:30 am on Race Day. Sizes run small. Sizes guaranteed if registration is received by June 6.

Elizabeth Taber Library

The Elizabeth Taber Library, in partnership with the Marion Garden Group, has kicked off a seed saving and lending program this May! Community members may "checkout" seeds for free from the Elizabeth Taber Library. The idea is that you plant the seeds, let some go to seed, and then return some of these next generation seeds for others to borrow. For more information, please call us at 508-748-1252 or stop into the library for some material on this new program.

Elizabeth Taber Library's Annual Open House will be held on Thursday, **June 1** from 3:00 to 5:00 pm. Drop in sometime between 3:00 - 5:00 pm for light refreshments, flyers on our free services and friendly staff to answer any questions you might have! We also encourage you to take a walk through our charming library to see all the wonderful changes we've made.

There will be loads of activities for families such as Lego building, coloring, and a seed planting craft to promote our new Seed Lending Library! For more information, please call us at 508-748-1252.

Mattapoisett Historical Society

Mattapoisett Historical Society is now accepting items for our 2017 Charity Yard Sale. Clearing out your closet? Downsizing your house? Kids heading off to college? Want to get organized? Whatever your reason may be, consider donating to the Mattapoisett Historical Society's Yard Sale. All proceeds from the sale – Saturday, **June 10**, 8:00 - 11:00 am – support the Mattapoisett Historical Society. Donating items for the sale is easy. We accept donations at 5 Church Street in Mattapoisett on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 am to noon (call 508-758-2844 before you come). We accept gently used household items suitable for resale. We do NOT accept appliances, large furniture, electronics, building products, books or clothing. If you have questions or want to arrange to drop off items, please call 508-758-2844 or email info@mattapoisetthistoricalsociety.org.



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Mattapoisett River Valley Water District
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Applications to serve are available at the Board of Selectmen office and on the Town of Marion website at http://www.marionma.gov/Pages/index
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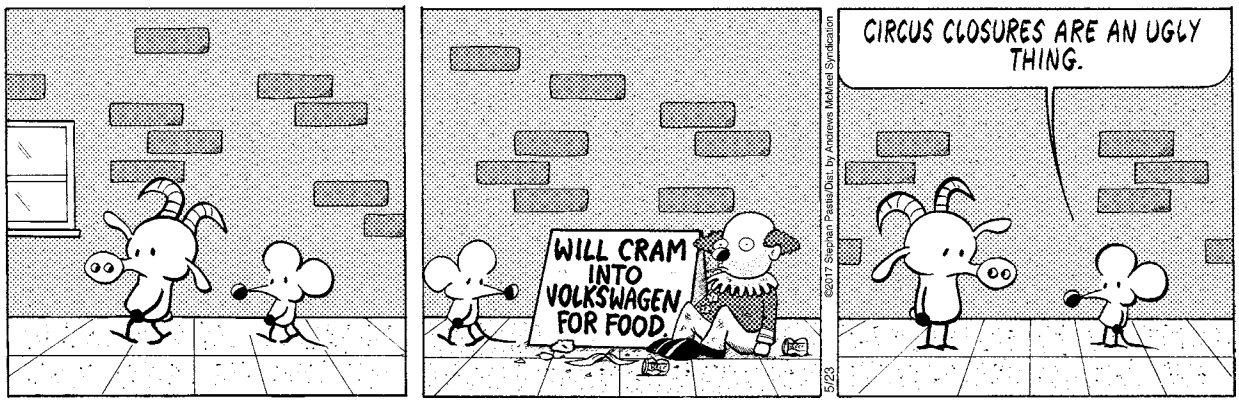
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On May 30, don a pair of waders and learn how to dig for quahogs during "Seeking Shellfish" at Silvershell Beach (1 Front Street, Marion). On June 6, discover the diversity of aquatic life at the edge of the Acushnet River during "Buggin' Out" at The Sawmill (32 Mill Road, Acushnet). And on June 13, master the art of catching feisty blue crabs during "Crazy About Crabs" at Shining Tides Beach (99 Reservation Road, Mattapoisett).

To RSVP, visit www.savebuzzardsbay.org/events/ or contact the Buzzards Bay Coalition at 508-999-6363 ext. 219 or bayadventures@savebuzzardsbay.org.

Women in Waders is part of Discover Buzzards Bay, an initiative to help people across the Buzzards Bay region find unique and exciting ways to explore the outdoors, get some exercise and connect with nature. Local residents can use Discover Buzzards Bay to get outside and discover woods, wetlands and waterways from Fall River to Falmouth. To learn more, visit savebuzzardsbay.org/discover.

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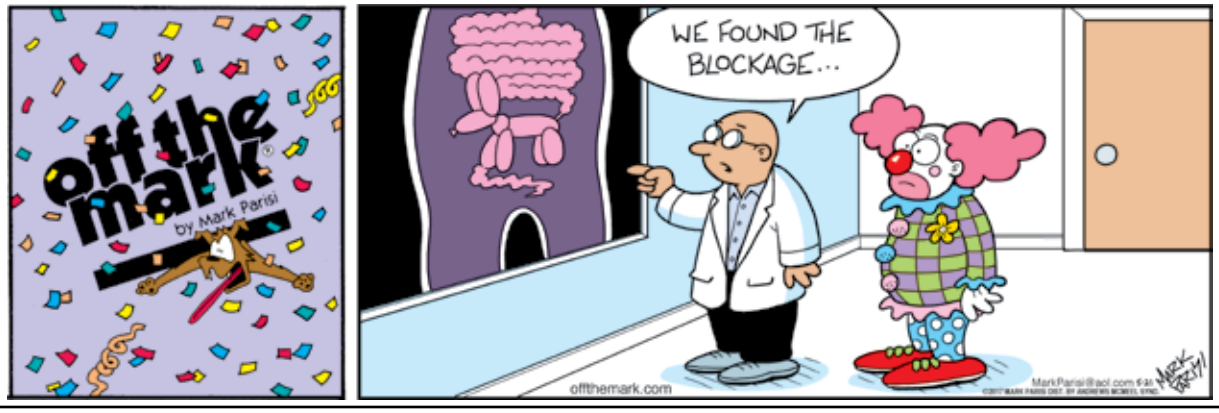
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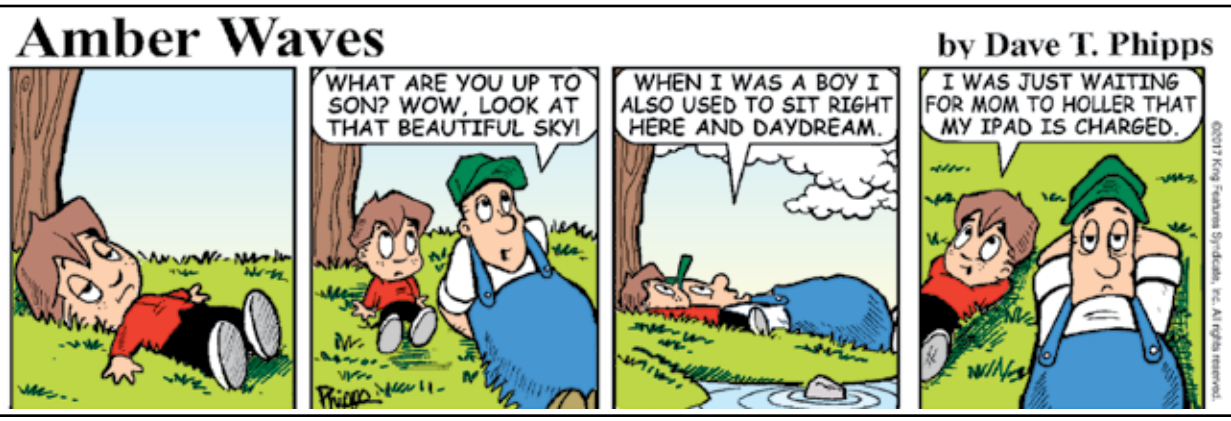
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Rochester Women's Club Yard Sale

The Rochester Women's Club will be holding our 4th Annual Yard Sale on Saturday, **June 17** from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. If you are doing some spring cleaning, please think of us. We are currently accepting donations of household items to sell. Please call Yvonne at 508-763-4979 to schedule a drop off of items. We will also be renting space to individuals/vendors for only $25 on the day of the Sale.

Please follow the Rochester Women's Club on Facebook for more details.

Zoster Vaccine Availability

The Marion-Rochester Health District (MRHD), in collaboration with the Marion Board of Health and the Rochester Board of Health, is pleased to announce they have acquired a limited number of Zoster (commonly known as Shingles) vaccine doses for administration within the Health District.

Shingles is a condition that can present in individuals who had Chickenpox as a disease when they were younger. The Chickenpox virus remains dormant in the body after the childhood illness but can present as a "Shingles" rash later in life. This rash can be quite painful and often is accompanied by blisters. The rash usually lasts for 2-4 weeks. The Zoster vaccine has been shown in clinical trials to reduce the risk of shingles occurring by 50%. It has also been shown to reduce the pain of shingles in those who get Shingles even though they have been immunized.

The Zoster vaccine is available to those 60 years old and older. It is an expensive vaccine and not all insurance companies cover this vaccine. While the Health District and the Boards of Health encourage residents to discuss immunizations with their primary care provider, they also recognize that there is a gap in availability of Zoster vaccine. In an effort to meet the needs of the residents, the Marion-Rochester Health District is making a limited number of doses available to residents including those who don't have insurance coverage for the vaccine.

Interested Marion and Rochester residents may contact Kathy Downey, PhD, RN at the Marion Board of Health (508-748-3530).

Marion Recreation Summer Programs

Marion Recreation is pleased to announce that registration is now open for its very popular summer programming. This year, Stacey Perry will lead the Silvershell Summer Program beginning June 26 and running through August 14. Additional offerings include Swimming Lessons at Silvershell Beach, Sailing on Sippican Harbor, Soccer Clinics, Dance and Theater Classes and more. Full details are available on the website at www.marionrecreation.com. Program books will also be distributed to Sippican School in the coming weeks.

Tabor Academy Commencement Speaker

Tabor Academy announced that Robert S. Mueller will be the Commencement Speaker at the 139th Commencement Exercises on **May 29** on the Tabor Academy waterfront. The events will begin at 2:00 pm when the school will graduate 133 seniors, all of whom are eagerly awaiting their next steps in colleges across the country next fall.

Robert S. Mueller, III was nominated by President George W. Bush to serve as the sixth Director of the FBI. He served our country during some very tumultuous years, being sworn in just one week before 9/11 in 2001. His 10-year term as Director was extended for an additional two years at the request of President Barack

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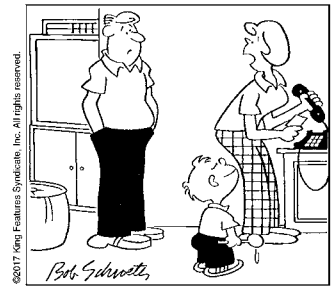
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Obama and pursuant to legislation enacted by the U.S. Congress.

After receiving his undergraduate degree at Princeton University and his Master's Degree in International Relations from New York University, Mr. Mueller joined the U.S. Marine Corps. He served as a Marine officer for three years. After attending Army Ranger and Jump Schools, he led a rifle platoon of the Third Marine Division in Vietnam for one year. For his service, he received the Bronze Star, two Navy Commendation Medals, the Purple Heart, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

Following his career in the Marine Corps, Mr. Mueller went on to earn his law degree from the University of Virginia Law School. Mr. Mueller served as a litigator, Assistant Attorney General for the Criminal Division, U.S. Attorney, and Acting Deputy Attorney General for the Department of Justice. Currently, he is a partner at WilmerHale in Washington, D.C., where his practice focuses on investigations, crisis management, privacy, and cyber security work.

"We are honored to have a decorated veteran and such an influential public servant speak to our graduates, just on the cusp of their life's journey. Mr. Mueller oversaw the FBI during one of the most complex periods of our nation's history and will no doubt share some unique perspectives with our graduates about leading in a position with such public and high-level responsibility," said John Quirk, Head of School.

Mattapoisett Recreation Summer Camp and Programs

Seahorse Summer Explorer Camp Program runs June 27 through August 11. Seahorse Explorers is a Monday-Friday program run out of Center School. Drop off is 9:00 am - 4:00pm with early drop off and late pick up available if needed. Each day, campers will have a tennis lesson, swim lesson, do arts and crafts and play games. Each week has a theme that activities are geared around. Many weeks will involve field trips and shows. Mad Science of Southeastern MA will be doing a show and running experiment stations, and High Flying Dogs will be performing; trips to the movies and Buttonwood Park Zoo are also planned. Full-day/Full-week camp cost is $150, Half-day/ Full-week is $100, 3-Day/Full-day is $125. Visit our website www.mattrec.net to see theme weeks and more information.

One Week Camp Options:

- Shooting Stars Girls Basketball Camp, July 24-28, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm at Old Hammondtown School. Open to girls in Grades 3-6. Run by Julie Letourneau. Cost is $150.
- Nature Explorers Camp, July 24-28, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Join MATTREC and the Marion Natural History Museum to explore some of Mattapoisett's unique natural areas. Each day will be a different location and activity; have fun exploring and experimenting with Elizabeth Leidhold.

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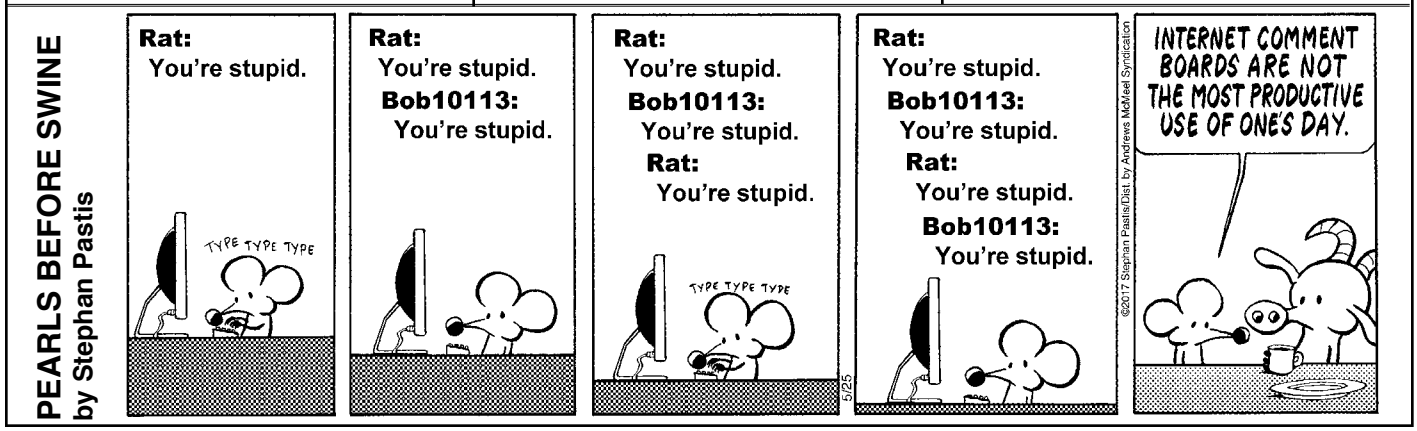
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- Brian Rudolph Competitive Basketball Training Clinic, July 10-14, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm at Old Rochester Regional High School. This program is geared towards competitive level basketball players in Grades 4-8. Cost is $150.

Weekly Program Offerings:

- Tennis Lessons Spring Session: Tuesdays, 5:00 - 7:00 pm, May 9 - June 13 taught by Karsten Rathlev, Willowbend tennis club pro. Summer Session: Wednesdays, 5:00 - 7:00 pm, July 5 - August 9 taught by Stevie Lake, Asst. Pro at the Casino. Cost is $80.
- Summer Golf Clinic held at the Bay Club, Wednesdays, July 12 - August 2, 5:00 - 6:00 pm Snag golf for 5-8 year olds, 6:00 - 7:00 pm for 9-12 year olds. This program is run by the Bay Club's PGA professionals and focusses on the fundamentals of golf. Cost is $100.
- Youth Swimming Lessons: Group lessons run for three weeks on either Monday & Wednesdays or Tuesday & Thursdays. Age groups are Pre-school 11:00 - 11:30 am, Youth Beginner 10:30 - 11:00 am, Youth Intermediate 9:30 - 10:15 am. Cost is $45. Private lessons are also available.

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Need a Bible?

The Mattapoisett Congregational Church has several Bibles that are no longer being used and is giving them away to new homes. If you'd like a Bible, please drop by the church during office hours, 8:30 am to noon, Monday through Friday. You may call ahead to 508-758-2671 to reserve a copy if you wish.

Most of these Bibles are in the Revised Standard Version. They are all clean, complete, and in very good shape.

Gateway Youth Hockey Golf Classic

The 6th Annual Gateway Youth Hockey Golf Classic is scheduled for **June 10** at Little Harbor Country Club in Wareham. We are looking for golfers, sponsors, donations and volunteers. This is our largest fundraiser of the year and helps to keep hockey costs as low as they are. Registration is recommended in advance, although we will accept registrations the day of to the extent we have space. Please contact Ben Hathaway at 774-454-1114 or Jen Wilson at 774-766-9436 with any questions.

UCT Golf Tournament

The Bette-Lee Marsland / Upper Cape Tech Golf Tournament will be held at the Falmouth Country Club on Sunday, **June 11** with 7:00 am registration and 8:00 am shotgun start.

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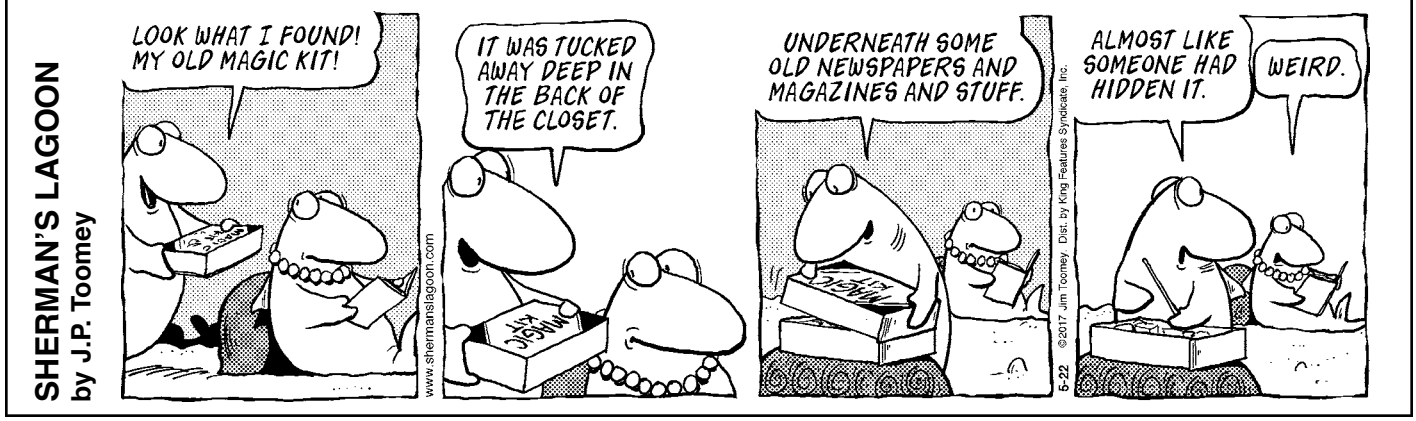
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Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride

Buzzards Bay provides some of the most breathtaking coastal scenery in New England – from Sakonnet Point in Little Compton and the farm coast of Westport and Dartmouth to New Bedford's working waterfront, charming Onset Village and the famed science community of Woods Hole on Cape Cod. If you love cycling and want to protect clean water in our community, then sign up for the 11th annual Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride on Sunday, **October 1** by visiting savebuzzardsbay.org/ride.

The Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride is a fun community event that supports a great cause: clean water in Buzzards Bay. More than 150 cyclists participate in the Watershed Ride each year, pedaling across the beautiful Buzzards Bay region to raise funds for clean water.

Riders can sign up for 35- and 75-mile routes as well as a 100-mile "century ride" that circles the entirety of Buzzards Bay starting from the dramatic breakwater at Sakonnet Point, RI. All three routes join together to end with a lively finish line party in the heart of Woods Hole Village featuring dinner, beer and wine, live music, awards and free massages.

"I've really enjoyed the event all three times and will definitely plan to come back again," said Jeff Gonsalves of Dartmouth, who participated in the 100-mile century ride from Sakonnet Point to Woods Hole last year. "The route is fantastic, the rest stops are well placed and well stocked, and volunteers provide great support to all the riders."

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Cyclists ages 12 and over are welcome. Riders are fully supported along the course with water and snack stations, clear route markings, a hearty food truck lunch at Eastover Farm in Rochester, helpful volunteers, and on-the-road bike repair technicians. Prizes go to the riders and teams that raise the most money as well as the winners in categories including Best Team Outfit and Biggest Team.

Each rider raises a minimum of $300, but many participants set larger fundraising goals. All funds go directly to the Coalition's work to protect land and clean water around Buzzards Bay. Last year, cyclists and their supporters raised more than $120,000 to support the Coalition.

To learn more about the Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride and sign up, visit savebuzzardsbay.org/ride.

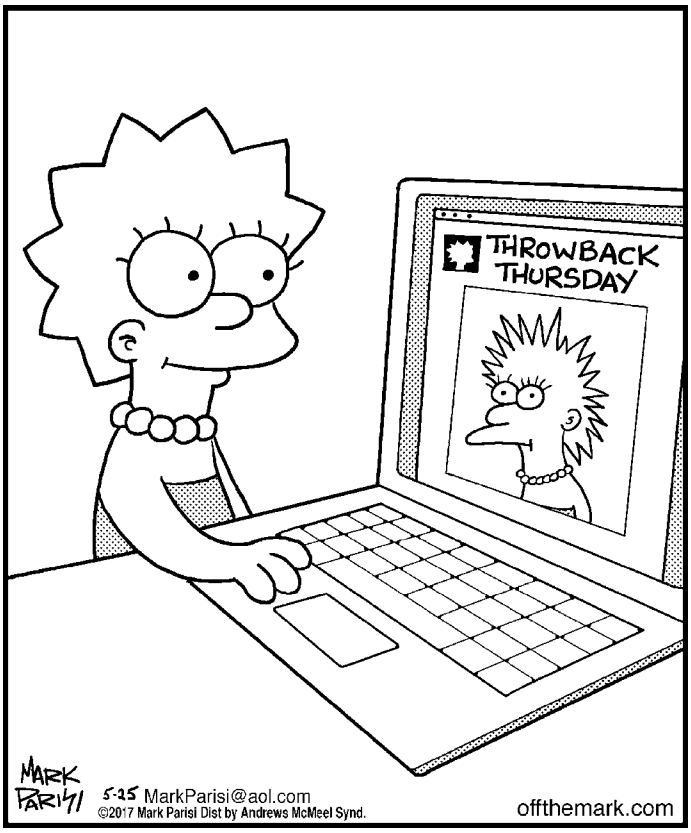
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Day	Date	High a.m.	High p.m.	Low a.m.	Low p.m.
Thursday	May 25:	8:10	8:34	1:53	1:39
Friday	May 26:	9:03	9:26	2:48	2:31
Saturday	May 27:	9:56	10:19	3:43	3:24
Sunday	May 28:	10:50	11:14	4:35	4:16
Monday	May 29:	11:46	. . .	5:27	5:08
Tuesday	May 30:	12:11	12:44	6:26	6:05
Wednesday	May 31:	1:09	1:42	7:46	7:17
Thursday	June 1:	2:06	2:40	9:03	9:17
Friday	June 2:	3:03	3:37	9:59	10:31
Saturday	June 3:	4:01	4:36	10:40	11:21
Sunday	June 4:	5:01	5:33	11:09	11:58
Monday	June 5:	5:56	6:24	11:34	. . .
Tuesday	June 6:	6:45	7:08	12:30	12:06
Wednesday	June 7:	7:28	7:49	1:03	12:41
Thursday	June 8:	8:08	8:26	1:39	1:20
Friday	June 9:	8:46	9:02	2:19	2:02
Saturday	June 10:	9:23	9:37	3:00	2:44
Sunday	June 11:	10:01	10:13	3:40	3:25

Phases of the Moon		
	New Moon	May 25th
	First Quarter	June 1st
	Full Moon	June 9th
	Last Quarter	June 17th



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the May 18, 2017 issue the Aardvark was on page 30!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

H	I	P	P	O	S	■	M	O	B	C	A	P	S	■	S	Q	U	A	T	S		
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C	O	N	T	I	N	E	N	T	A	L	S	U	B	■	B	I	S	E	C	T		
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SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Spate; 2. Astute;
3. Range; 4. Snide

Today's Word

SITTER

Sudoku Answer

2	8	5	1	7	4	3	9	6
3	1	7	8	6	9	5	4	2
4	6	9	2	5	3	7	8	1
9	4	1	6	3	5	8	2	7
8	5	3	7	9	2	1	6	4
7	2	6	4	1	8	9	3	5
1	3	4	9	2	7	6	5	8
5	7	2	3	8	6	4	1	9
6	9	8	5	4	1	2	7	3



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